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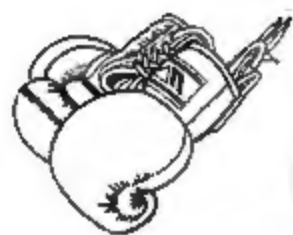
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OKITA
CAN NOT
GET UP

!!

AN
AMAZING
COME-
BACK KO
!!

THE BATTLE OF
THE TWO
ROOKIE KINGS
END IN A
VICTORY FOR
MAKINOUCHI
IPPO!!

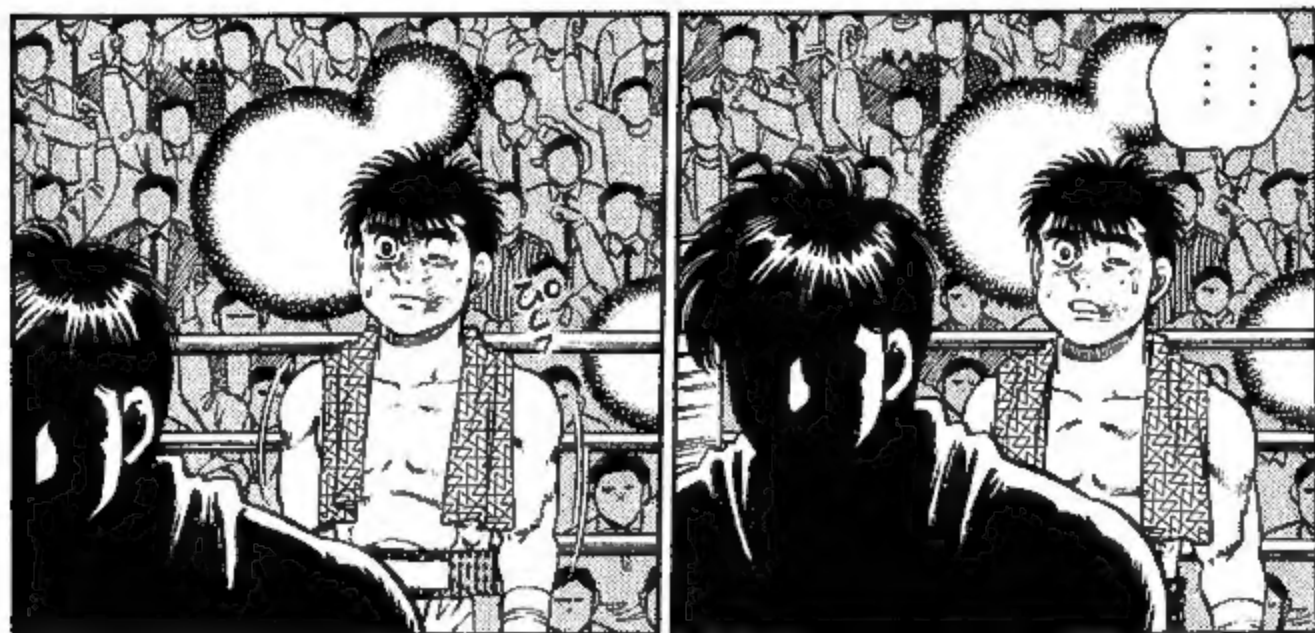
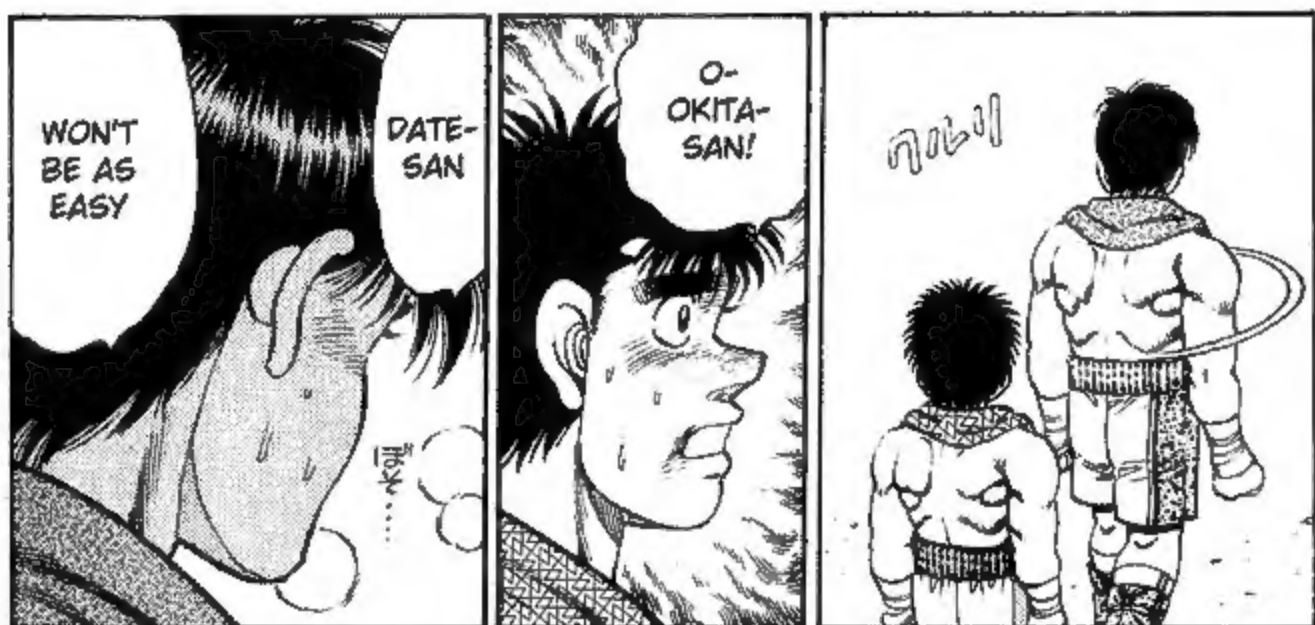
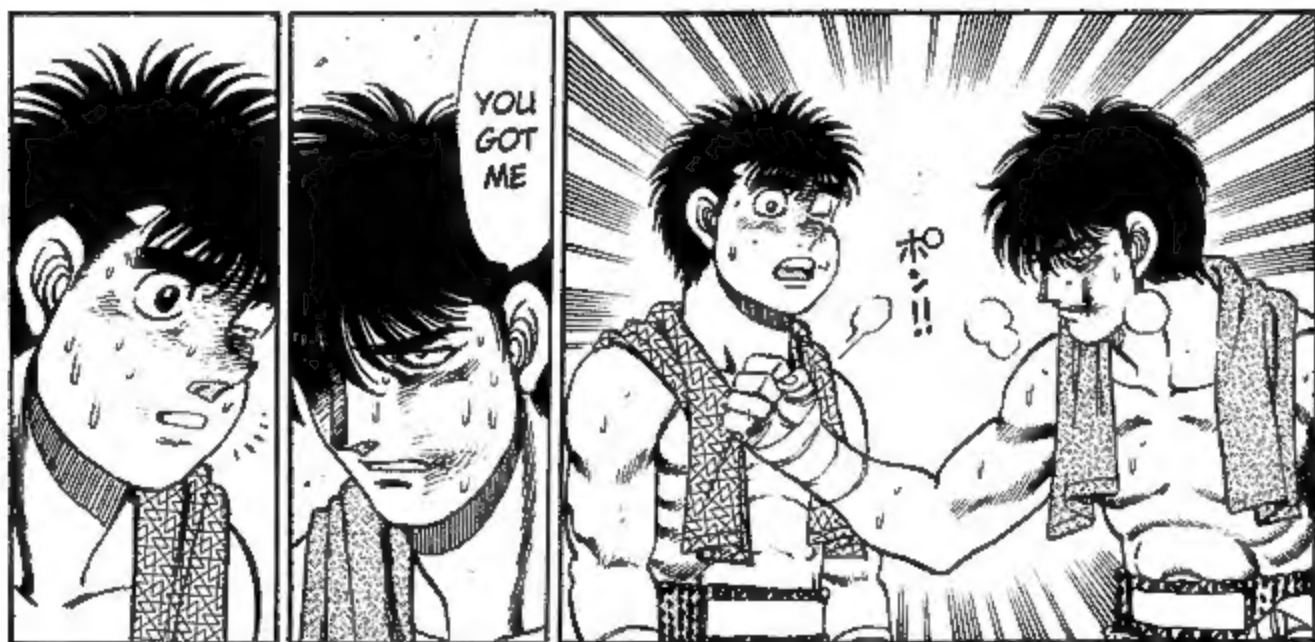


Round 124 Those who surpass others



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I SEE



I STILL HAVE A LONG WAY TO GO TO REACH DATE-SAN

I'LL START OVER



NO

BECAUSE YOU COULDN'T REACH ME
|
YOU LOST



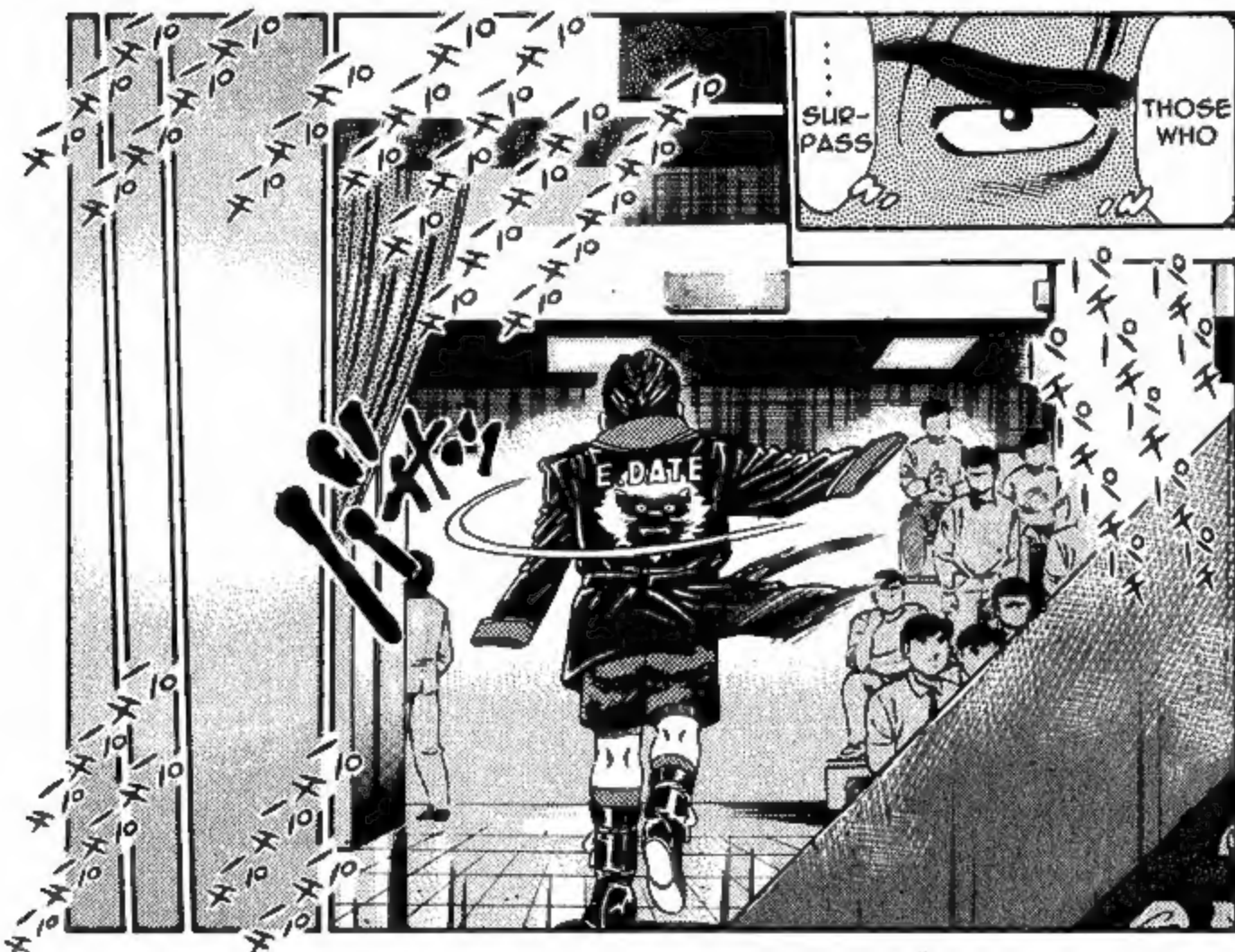
YOU'LL UNDER-
STAND
SOON

MAKU-
NOLCHI
SHOWED
THAT DIF-
ERENCE
TONIGHT



THOSE
WHO TRY
TO REACH
AND
THOSE
WHO TRY
TO
SURPASS

IT WAS
THE
RESULT
OF DIF-
FERENT
GOALS
BETWEEN
CHAL-
LENGERS







W-WHAT'S
WRONG
BRAT!?

HA!



I'VE
GOT TO
HURRY!

And



C-COMING

IPPO,
DATE'S
MATCH IS
ABOUT TO
START



MI

WHAT
HAD-
PENED?



SOME
SKIN

HE
PINCH-
ED





I'VE
GOT
TO
HU-
RRY

IT'S AL-
STARTED

LET'S
GET AN
AUTO-
GRAPH

HEY,
IT'S
MAKU-
NOUCH!



YOU
FINALLY
MADE IT
IPPO!

TAKA-
MURA-SAN,
HOW'S THE
MATCH?

WELL IT
WAS A
TOUGH
FIGHT TO
WIN...

H-HE
LOOKS LIKE
HE'S IN A
LOT OF
PAIN



THE OLD
MAN'S
GOT A
LOT
SPIRIT
TONIGHT

FOR
SOME
REASON



BUT IT'S
JUST
STARTED!



THE CHAL-
LENGER
SUZUKI
ALREADY
TAKEN 2
DOWNS

T-
TWO?



HE'S
DAMN
STRONG

NAKADAI

SUZUKI
HAS HIS
BACK TO
THE ROPES.
CAN HE
ESCAPE!?

AH
...

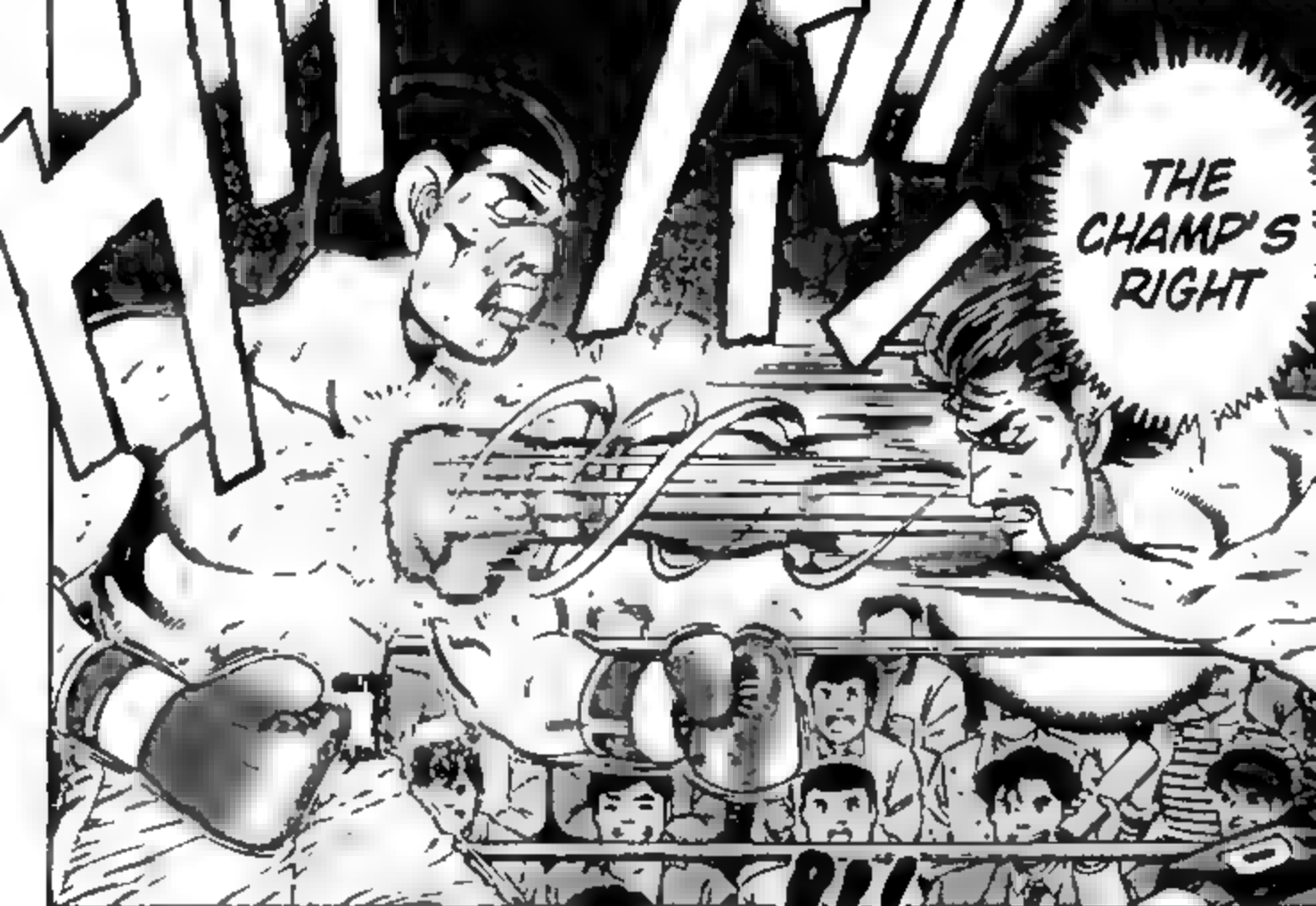
UH
...
THE
CHAMP
RUSHES
IN!!



2ND
RANKED
SUZUKI
SHOWS
SOME GLITS
AND STEPS
FORWARD!



UH
...
AA
AH







YOU
BARELY
SURVIVED
A BATTLE
AGAINST
THE 5TH
RANKING

YOU
REALLY
WANT TO
FIGHT
THAT?

WHAT A
MONSTER
...

THAT LEFT
HAD ALREADY
FINISHED THE
GUY OFF BUT
HE THREW IN
A RIGHT TO
TOP IT OFF

S-
STRONG
..





YOU'LL
HAVE A
MUCH
BETTER
CHANCE IN
GETTING IT

IF THE
OLD MAN
RETIRES
HIS BELT



I
WILL

I- I
GUESS
SO...

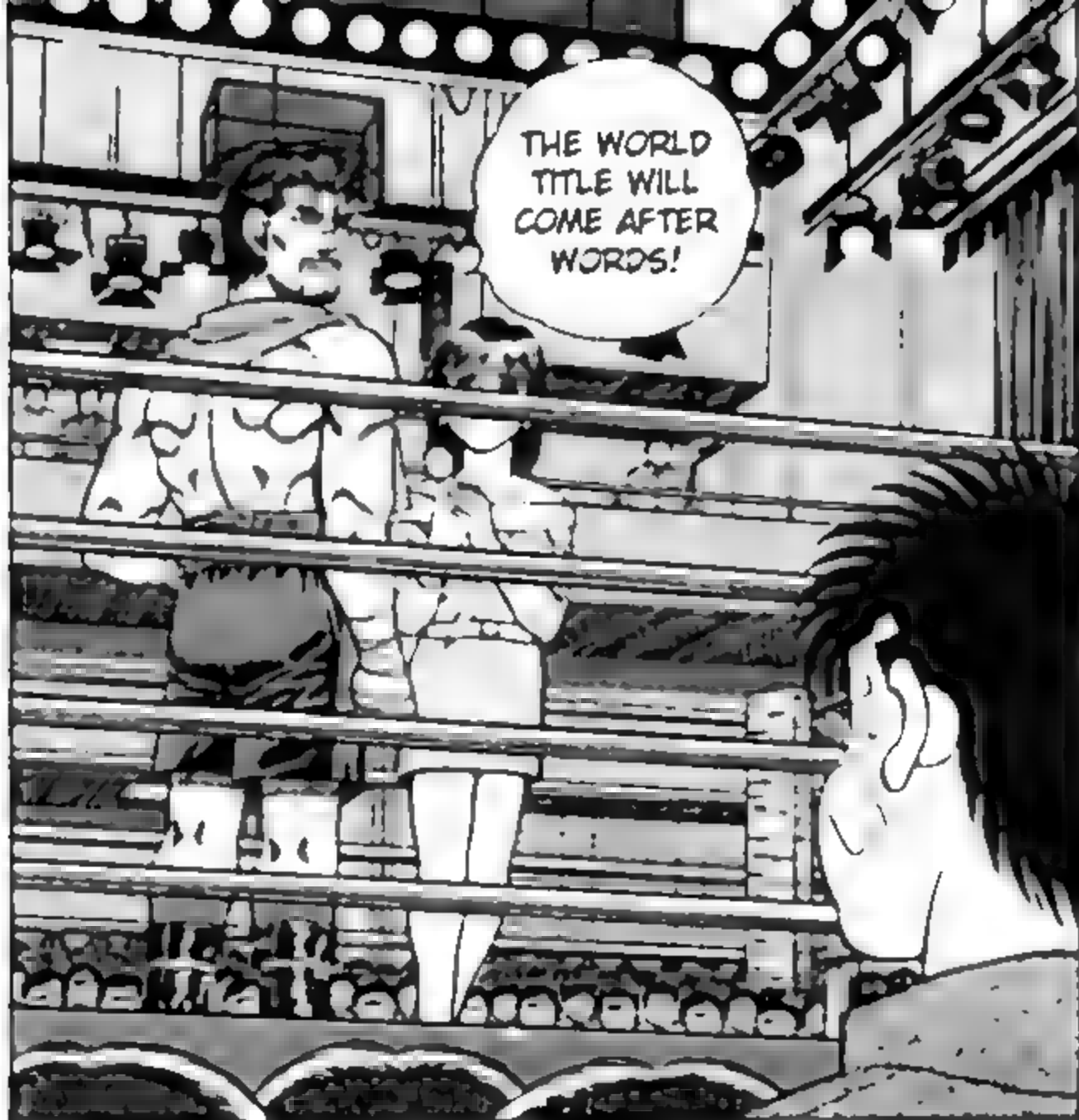


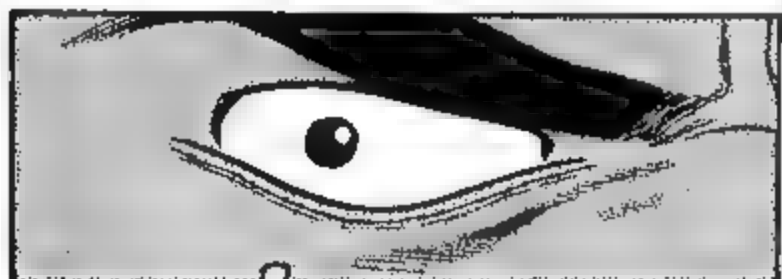
NOT
RETIRE
MY BELT

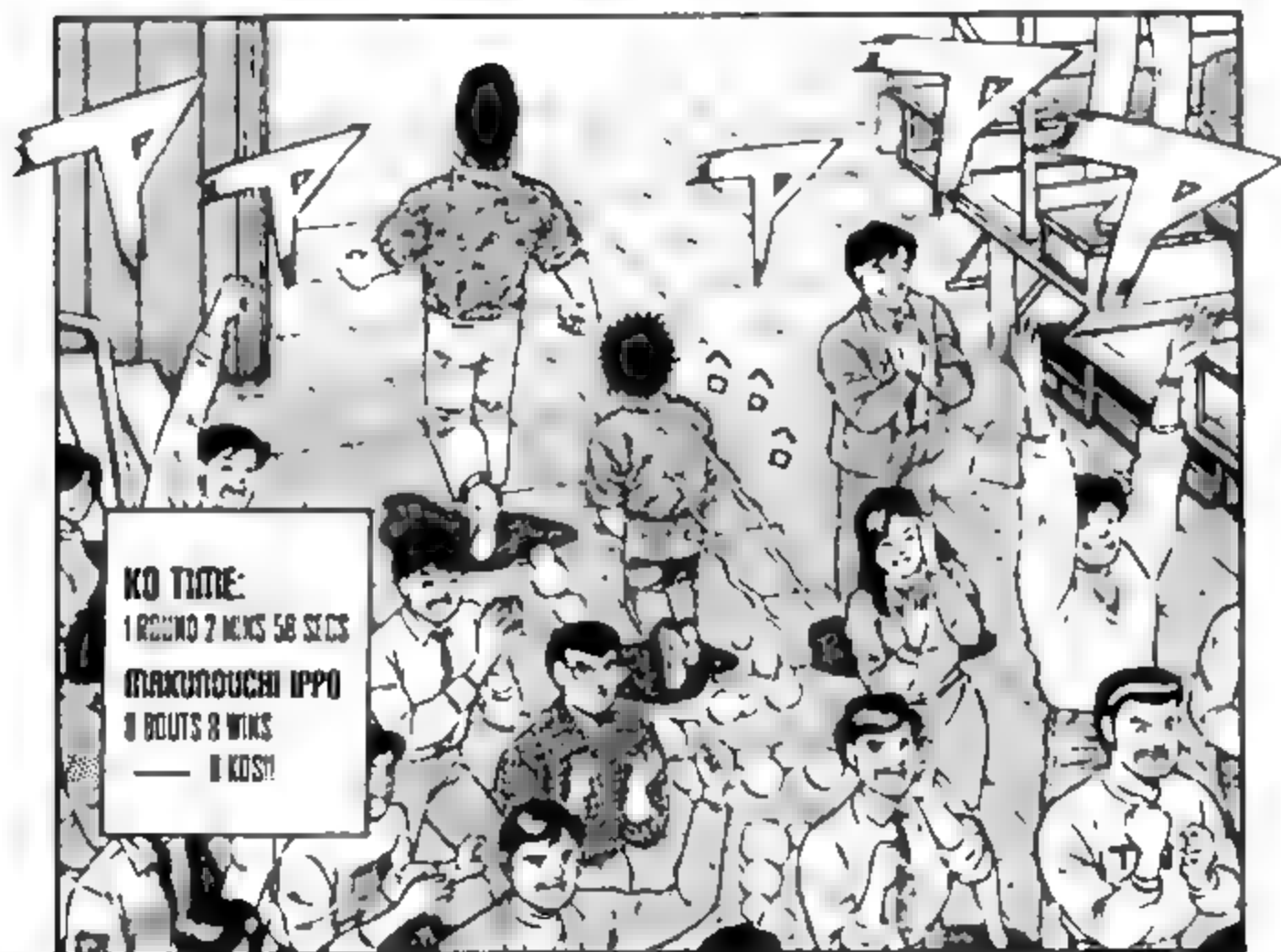
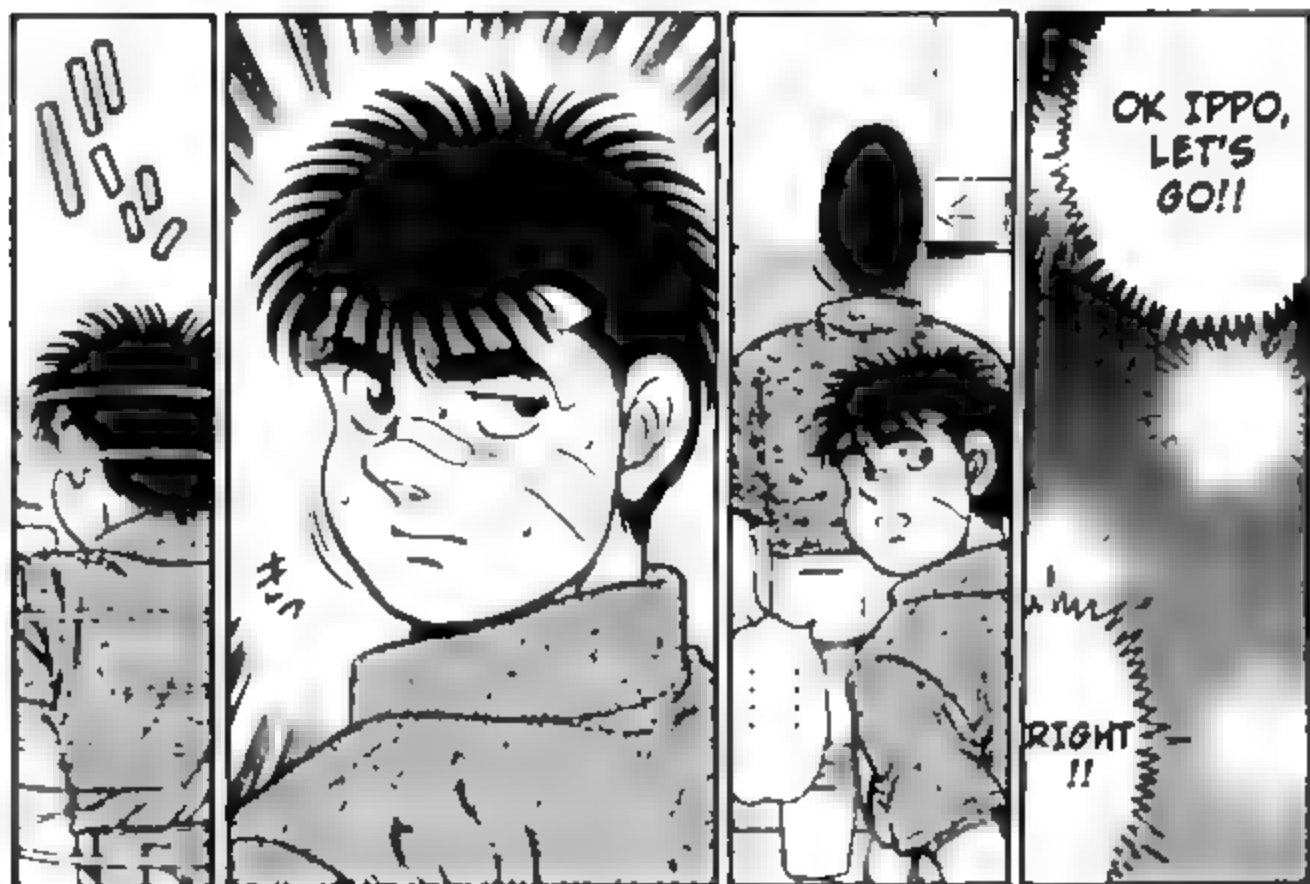


I STILL
HAVE
THINGS TO
TAKE CARE
OF IN THIS
COUNTRY

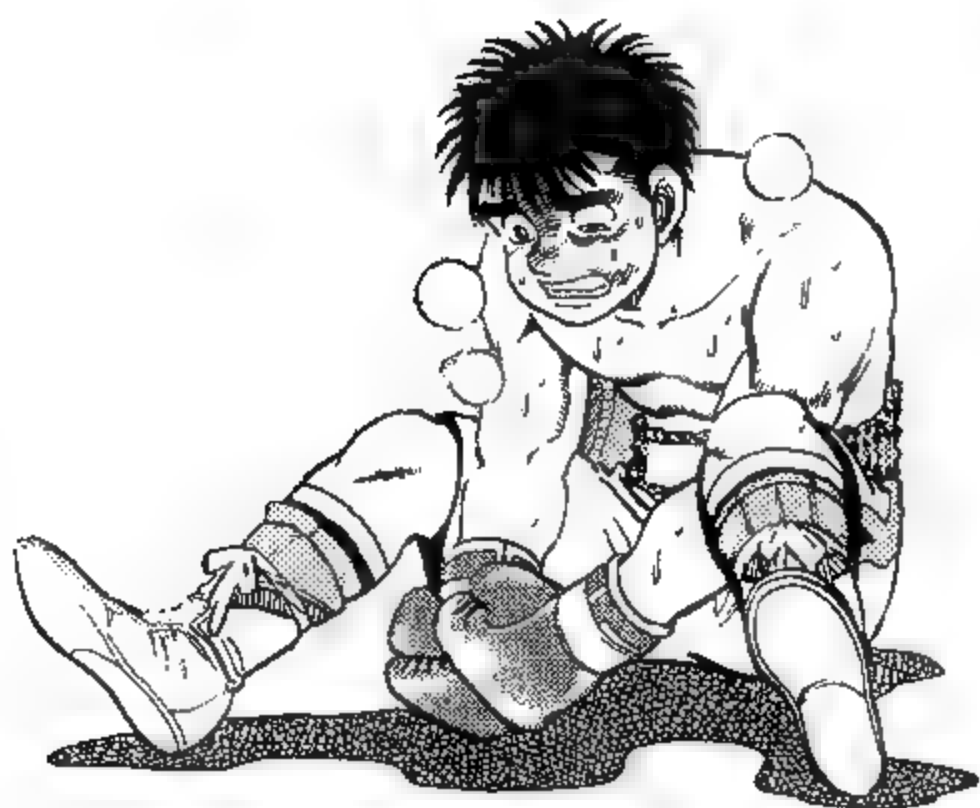
FIRST I'LL
TAKE CARE
OF THAT!







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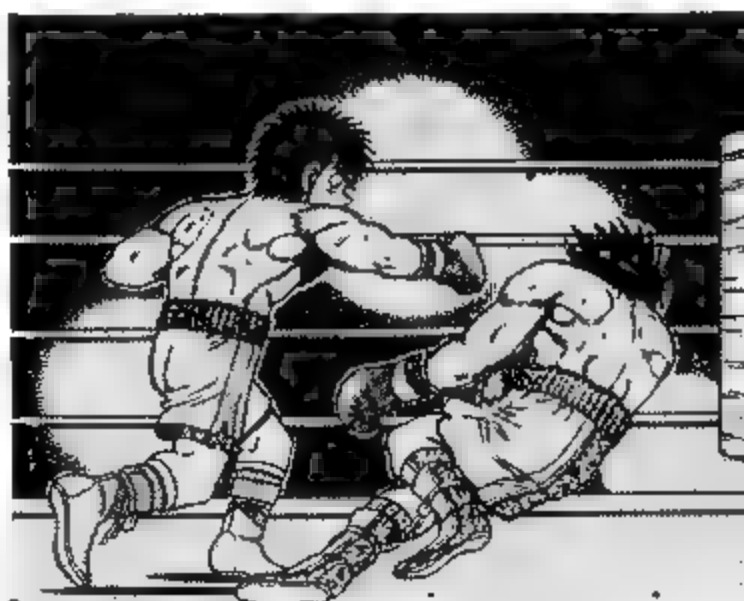


Round 125 Miyata's Comeback



Feather Class 10 Round Bout Battle of the Rook & Kings

IRON FIST MAKUNOUCHI MAKES ANOTHER COMEBACK KO!!



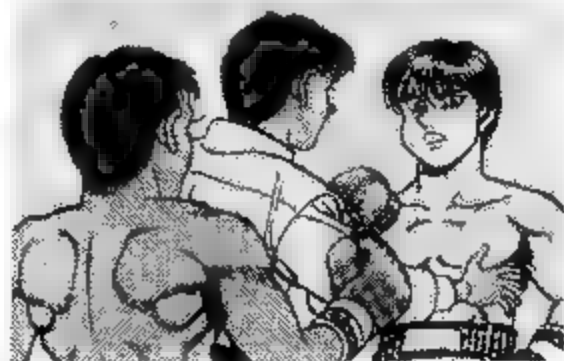
The talked about Feather class 10 round bout- The fight between Okita Keigo (Nakadai Gym) vs Makunouchi Ippo (Kamogawa Gym) was a fury of strong blows, ending in Makunouchi's 1 round KO win over the senior Rook & King Okita



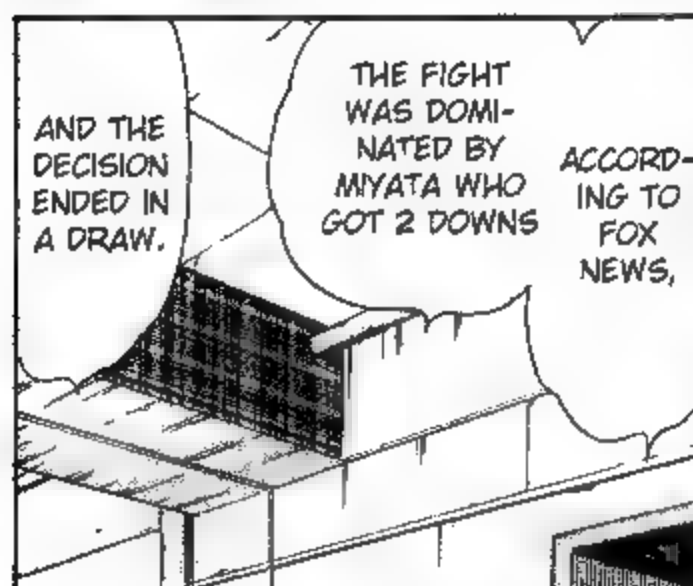


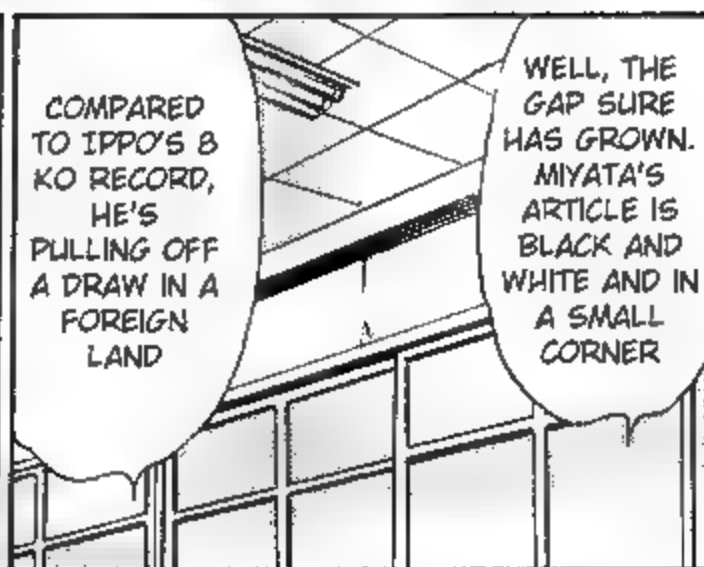
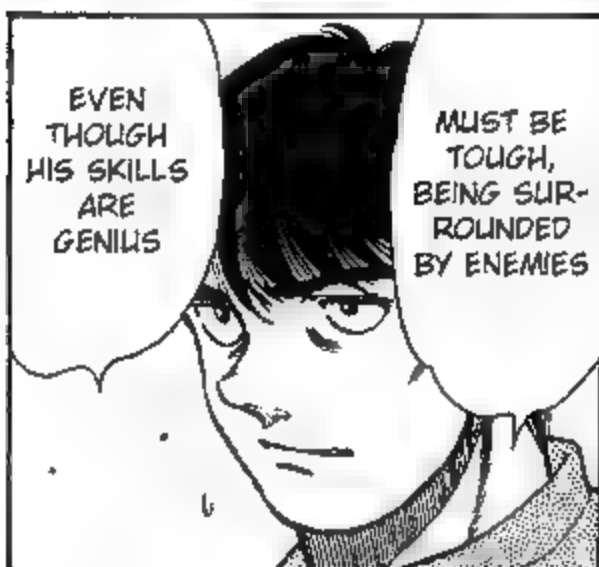
MIYATA ICHIROU (KRIKORIAN GYM) ENDS IN A DRAW

Losing at the semi finals of the East Rookie King Tournament, Miyata Ichirou fought Lusak Paddy in a 6 round bout in Thailand. Although he fought well, the fight ended in draw, leaving Miyata unable to make his first overseas bout a victory.



宮田はこれで7戦5勝1敗1引き分けとなった。







MEETING
YOU, SURE
SCREWED
UP MIYA-
TA'S LIFE

POOR
GUY

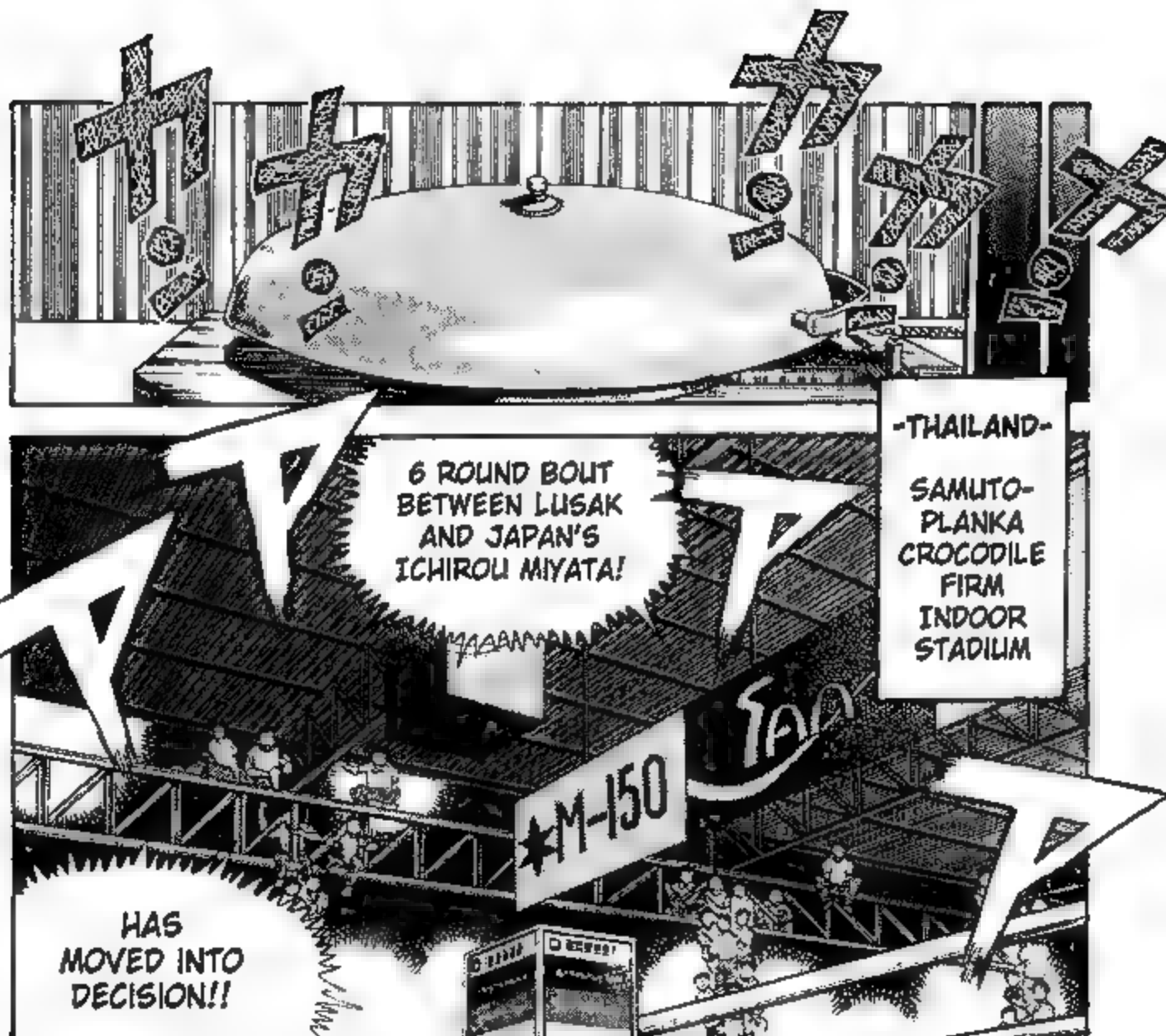


HOW
LONG
ARE
YOU
GOING
TO BE
THERE?



UNTIL
THAT
GAP
...

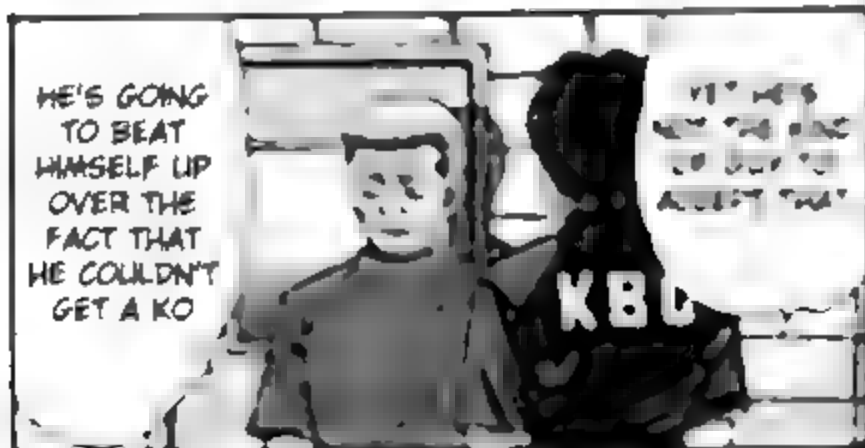
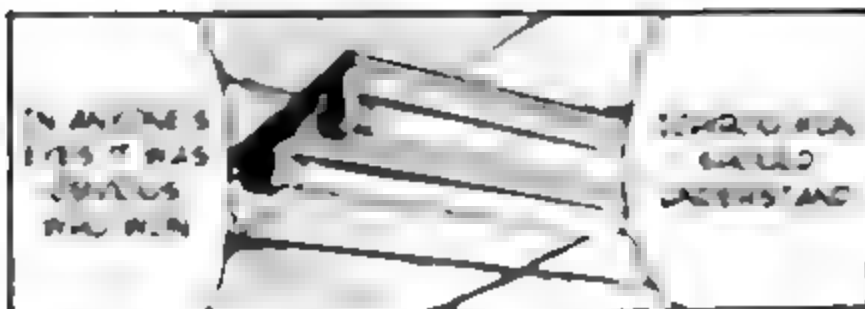


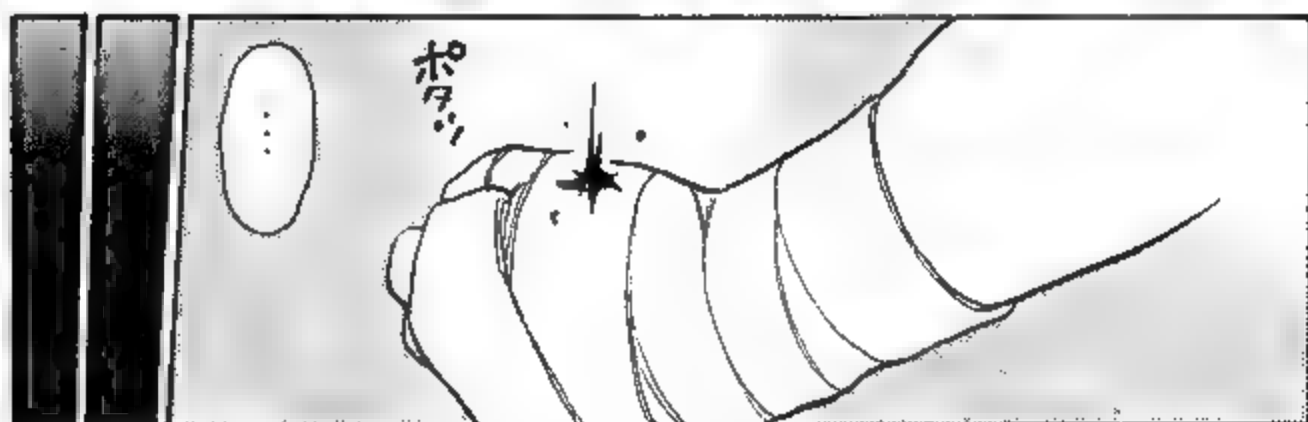














IT'S BEEN
2 MONTHS
IN THAILAND

PATAYA
BEACH

WE'VE
GOTTEN
USED TO THE
FOOD BUT
NOT THIS
HEAT



HIS BEST
WEIGHT
CLASS IS
LIGHT
WEIGHT,

BUT
ICHIROU'S
BONE
STRUCTURE
DOESN'T
ALLOW IT.

THERE ARE
OTHER
FEATHER
CLASS
BOXERS
WITH 172CM
HEIGHT



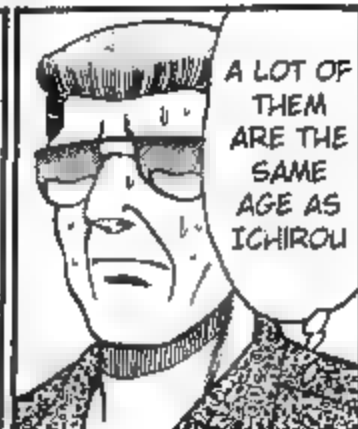
THOUGH
MOST OF
THEM SEEM
ENJOYING A
VACATION OF
DIVING AND
DINING

THERE
SURE ARE
A LOT OF
OTHER
JAPANESE
PEOPLE

WITH THIS
HEAT
SWEATING
IS NO
PROBLEM

BUT ICHIR-
OU'S DIET
IS NO LESS
EASIER

A LOT OF
THEM
ARE THE
SAME
AGE AS
ICHIROU



AT 18, HE'S
CUT OUT
MOST JOYS
OF HIS YOUTH

BY CHOOS-
ING A LIFE
PROFES-
SION OF
BOXING

HE'S
LEADING
A COM-
PLETELY
DIFFERENT
LIFE FROM
THE TOURIST
HE PASSES

TO
ACHIEVE
SUCH A
DIFFICULT
DIET YOU
HAVE TO
CUT EVERY
OTHER
PLEASURE
FROM YOUR
LIFE



HIS
RECORD IS
10 BOLTS
10 WINS
10 KOS!

JIMMY
SHISFA



I HAVEN'T
SEEN HIM
SMILE AT
ALL

EVEN
LATELY
....



HAS IT
BEEN
DECIDED

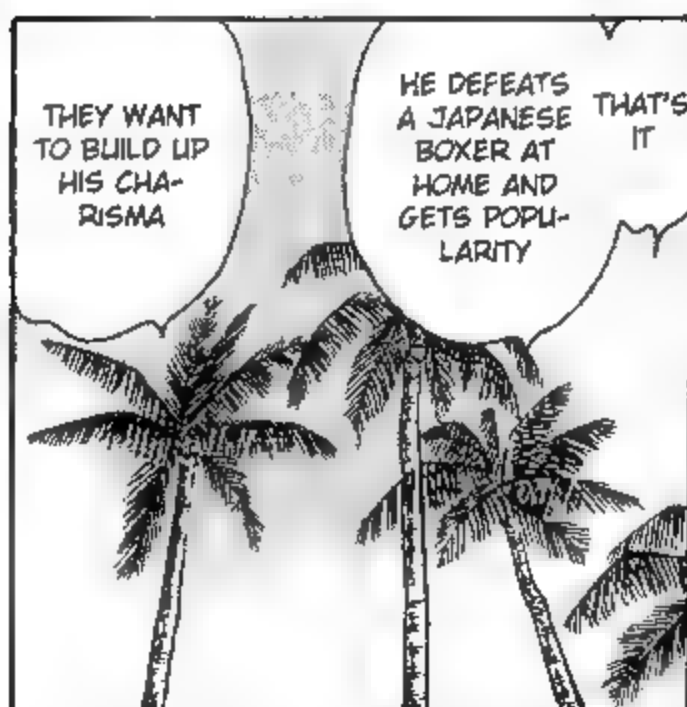
IT'S
ABOUT
THE
NEXT
MATCH

WELL,
WE HAD
AN
OFFER

MI-
YATA-
SAN!

MI
...



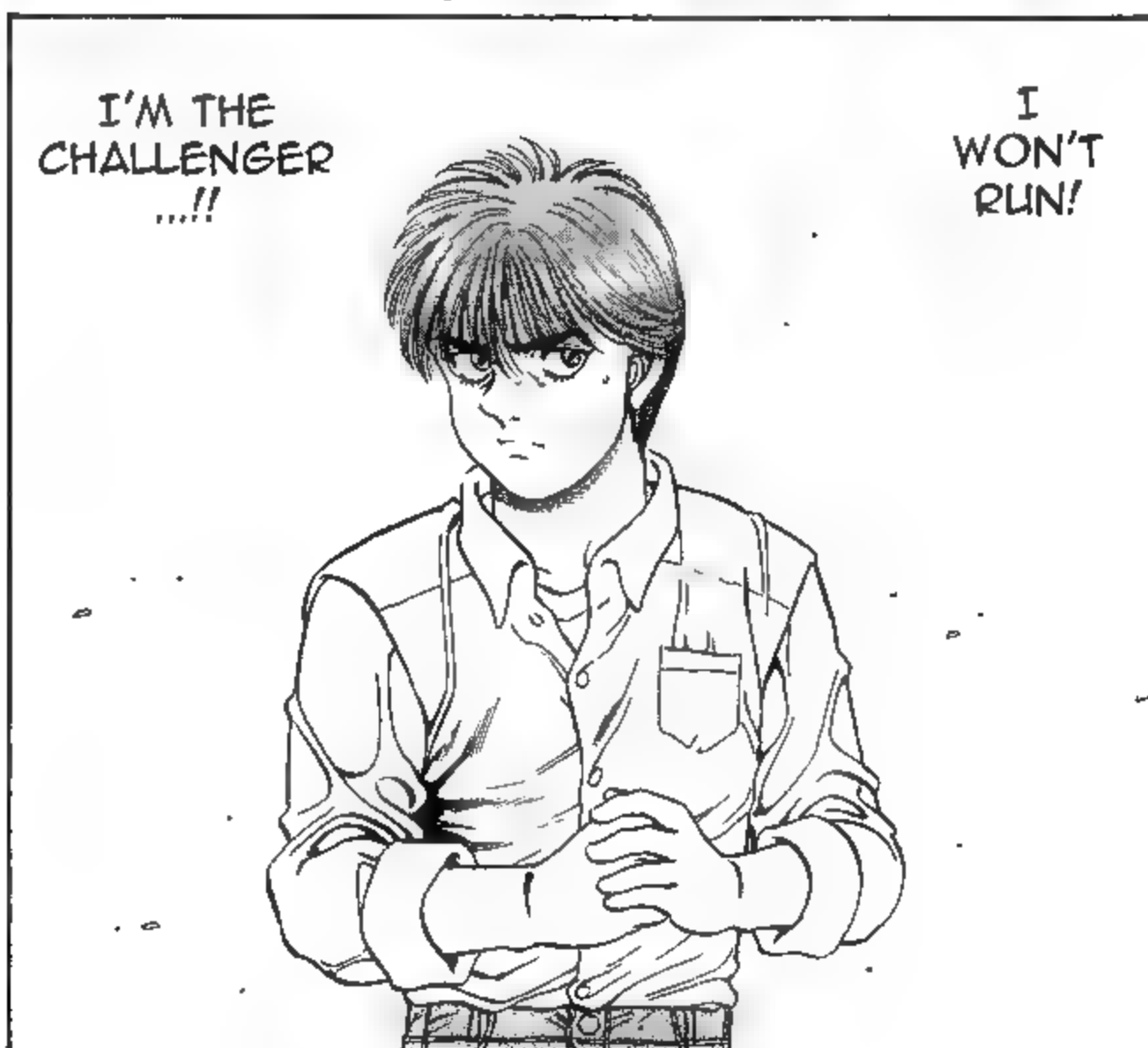












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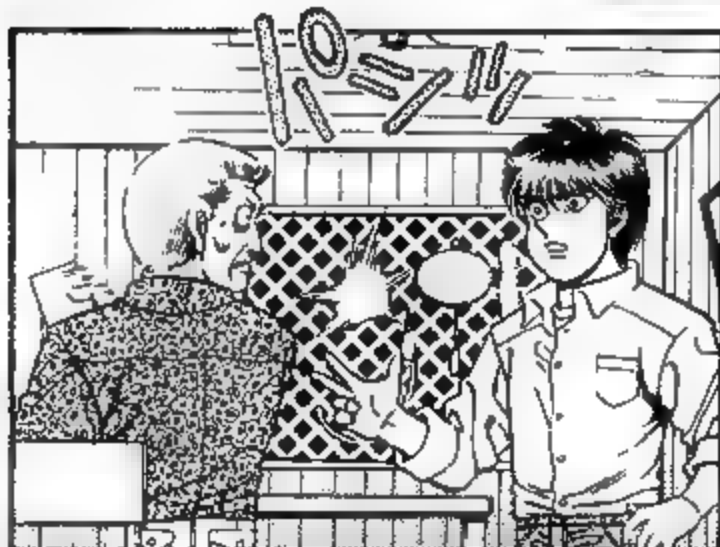
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Round 126 A counter to surpass all counters







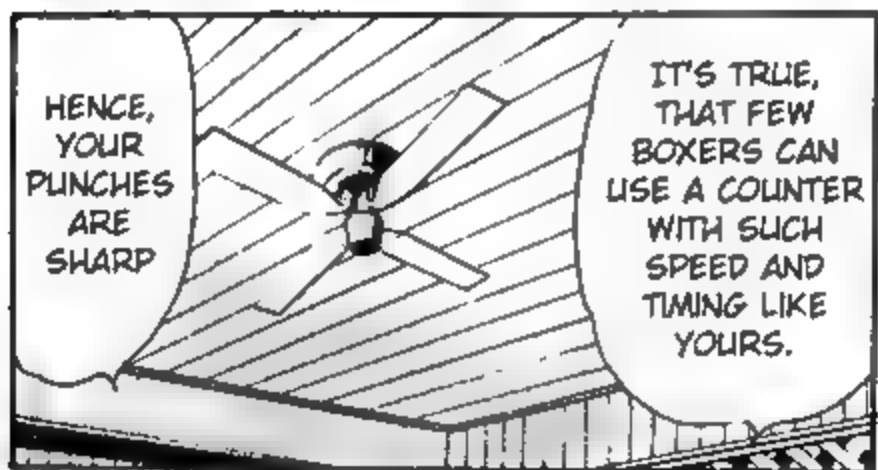


I
REALIZED
IT FROM
THE
MASHIBA
BOUT.



COUNTER?

MY
...



HENCE,
YOUR
PUNCHES
ARE
SHARP

IT'S TRUE,
THAT FEW
BOXERS CAN
USE A COUNTER
WITH SUCH
SPEED AND
TIMING LIKE
YOURS.



BUT IT'S
TRAGIC
...

SO I
THOUGHT
THE
COUNTER
WAS A
ONE HIT
KNOCKOUT
BLOW



THE
COUNTER
...

WON'T
WORK
!!



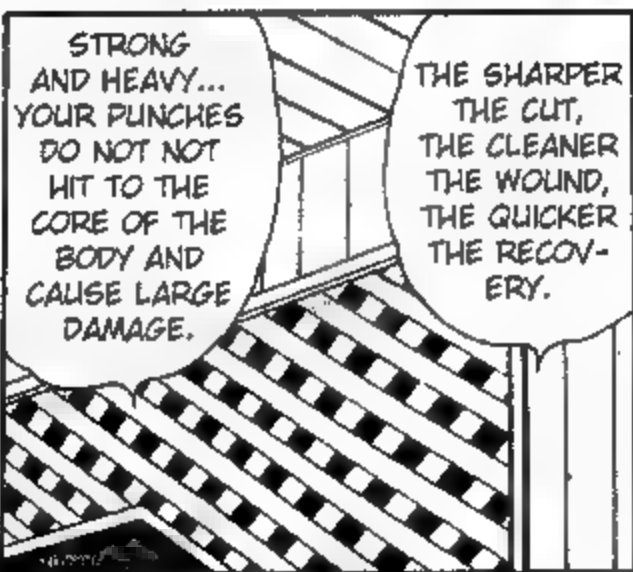
IS
LIGHT
!!

YOUR
PUNCH



THERE'S
NOTHING
YOU CAN
DO TO
CHANGE
THAT.

PUNCH
QUALITY IS
SOMETHING
YOU'RE
BORN
WITH!

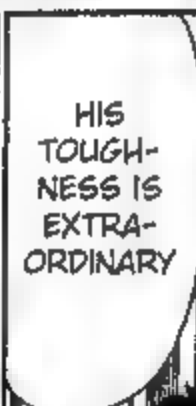


STRONG
AND HEAVY...
YOUR PUNCHES
DO NOT NOT
HIT TO THE
CORE OF THE
BODY AND
CAUSE LARGE
DAMAGE.

THE SHARPER
THE CUT,
THE CLEANER
THE WOUND,
THE QUICKER
THE RECOVERY.



1 OR 2
OF YOUR
COUNTERS
WOULD
BARELY
SCRATCH
HIM!!



HIS
TOUGH-
NESS IS
EXTRA-
ORDINARY

HE'S WON 32
BOULTS WHILE
BLOCKING KICKS,
THAT ARE
3 TIMES AS
POWERFUL AS
PUNCHES

ALSO,
JIMMY
STARTED
OUT IN
MUAY
THAI.





WHEN I
GET INTO
THE RING,
I HAVE TO
USE THESE
TWO FISTS
TO FIGHT!!

BUT I HAVE
NO CHOICE
BUT TO RELY
ON THESE
FISTS!!



I UNDER-
STAND
MY OWN
PUNCHES
WELL
ENOUGH.

I REAL-
IZED
IT.



I WON'T
BE ABLE
TO FIGHT
AGAIN...

IF I
ACCEPT THAT
THESE HAVE
BETRAYED
ME



WILL
FIGHT
WITH
JIMMY
!!

I KNOW
I'M BEING
SELFISH,
BUT I



!!

MY PRIDE
WOULDN'T
LET ME GET
BACK INTO
THE RING
WHEN I
KNEW MY
LIMITS

I
GRIEVED
OVER
MY WEAK
PUNCH AND
CHOSE TO
RETIRE

HUH
...
?



M-
MIYA-
TA-
SAN
!!

AS
THAT
TIME

IT'S
THE
SAME

HE MIGHT
CONSIDER
RETIRING?

S-SO
THEN

MAYBE
GOING
THROUGH
THE SAME
FEELING

ICHI-
ROU
TOO
...



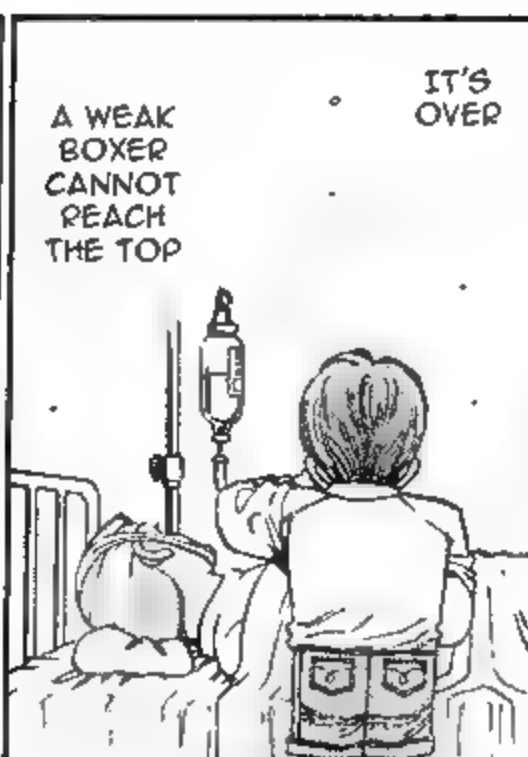
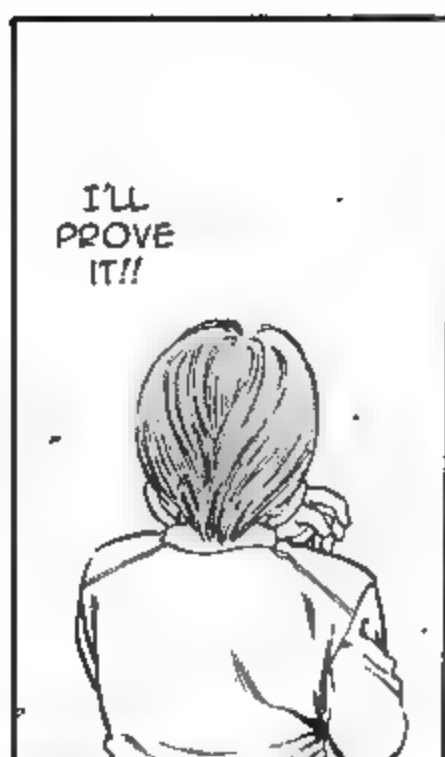
FA-
THER

TO HIM,
THIS IS
GOING TO
BE LIFE
OR DEATH

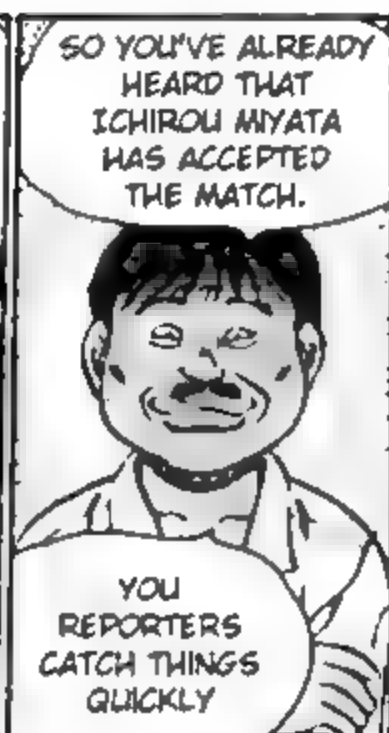
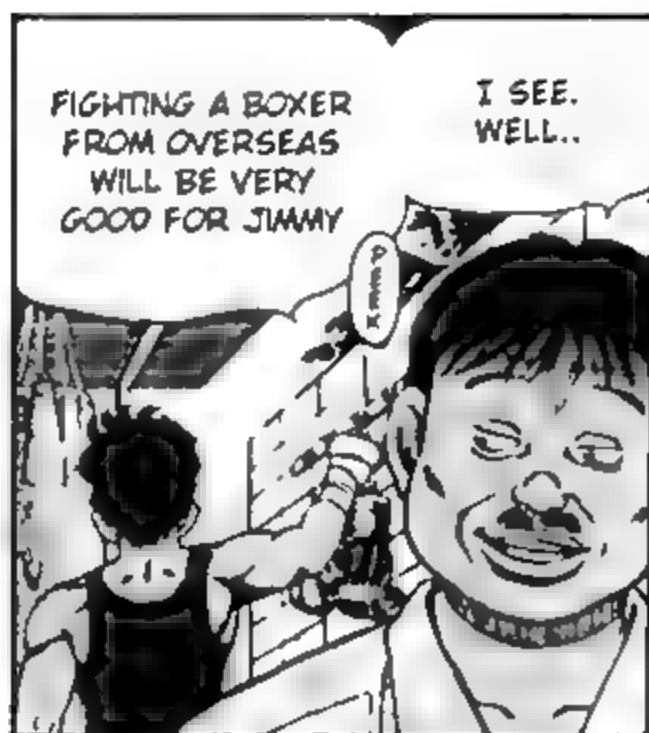
IT WILL BE A
CHALLENGE
AGAINST
THE WORLD
OF BOXING
ITSELF!

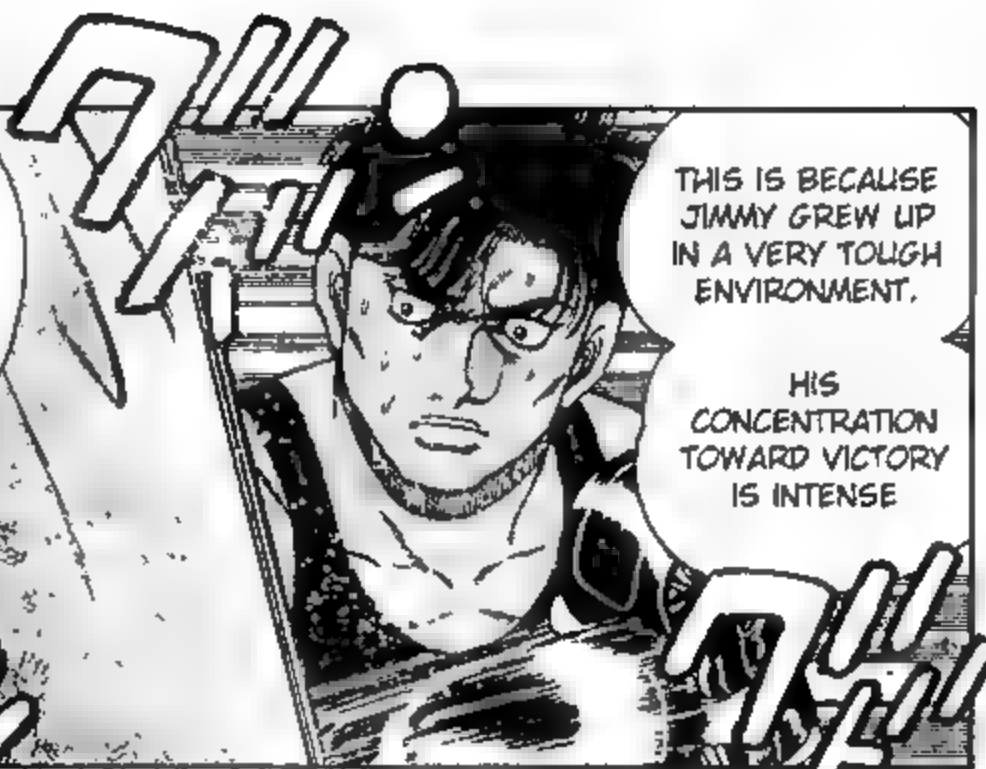
IN THIS
UPCOMING FIGHT,
HIS OPPONENT
WILL NOT BE
JIMMY ALONE.











I CAN NOT BELIEVE
THAT ICHIROU MIYATA,
WHO GREW UP IN A
PROSPEROUS COUNTRY
LIKE JAPAN, COULD
HAVE SUCH STRONG
FIGHTING SPIRIT

THIS IS BECAUSE
JIMMY GREW UP
IN A VERY TOUGH
ENVIRONMENT.

HIS
CONCENTRATION
TOWARD VICTORY
IS INTENSE




TAKING
THAT
PUNCH

BUT
"HUNGRY"
OR NOT

THAILAND BOXERS
AND JAPANESE
BOXERS SENSE
OF DETERMINATION
MUST BE
DIFFERENT

IT'S TRUE THAT
IN JAPAN, THE
WORD "HUNGRY"
DOESN'T EXIST

(TRANS. NOTE "HUNGRY" AS IN HUNGRY FOR VICTORY)



NO BOXER
COULD BE LEFT
STANDING



WHAT
CAN I
DO?

IF THE
COUNTER
WON'T
WORK



THERE'S
NO WAY
I COULD
EVEN GET
POINTS
EASILY

INCLUDING
MUAY THAI,
MY OPPO-
NENT IS A
FIGHTING
VETERAN



I
BUT

HOW
?



WILL
BE A
KO!

THE
ONLY
WAY FOR
ME TO
WIN



PAYAO



A SHARP
BLADE...
HMM



THEY
WERE LIKE
A SHARP
BLADE



EVEN
AS SAME
PRO
BOXER,
SOME
PUNCHES
I COULD
NOT SEE



I WAS
STARING

AH, WELL.
ICHIROU'S
SHADOW-
BOXING IS
FLOWING AND
GRACEFUL



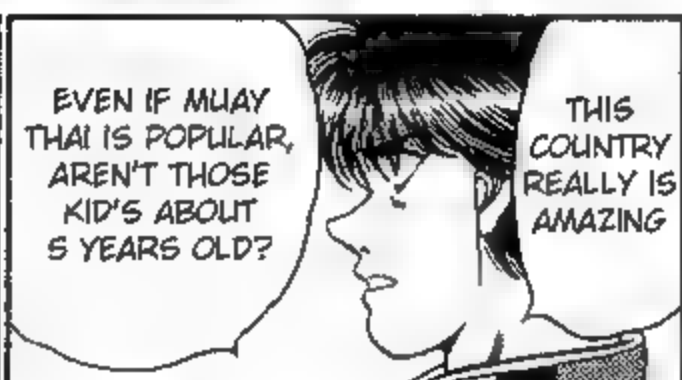
NO, IT'S
NOTHING

W-WHAT IS
WRONG?
DID I SAY
SOME-
THING?



BUT IT
MUST BE
STAR-
TLING TO
JAPA-
NESE

YES.
TO US,
IT IS A
NORMAL
SIGHT



EVEN IF MUAY
THAI IS POPULAR,
AREN'T THOSE
KID'S ABOUT
5 YEARS OLD?

THIS
COUNTRY
REALLY IS
AMAZING



EVERY-
ONE
THINKS
THAT

IF YOU
GET
STRONG,
YOU CAN
MAKE
GOOD
MONEY

THIS
COUNTRY IS
NOT PROS-
PEROUS
LIKE JAPAN

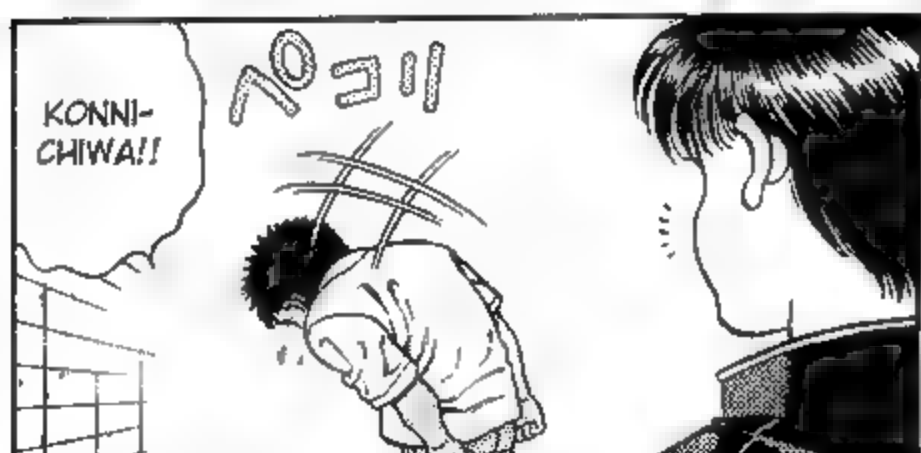
YOU ENTER
THE RING
TO GET
MONEY



MUST HAVE
CLIMBED UP
FROM THE
BOTTOM

JIMMY
SHISFA
ALSO









HE ASKS
ICHIROU
TO TEACH
HIM COUN-
TERS

AFTER THE
LAST FIGHT,
CHANA'S
BECOME
A FAN



SORRY
CHANA



I WANT TO
SEE MORE
AND MORE
AMAZING
COUNTERS

I ASK
YOU



IF I DID HAVE
A MORE
AMAZING
COUNTER I
WOULDN'T
WORRY

MY COUNTER
ISN'T SOMETHING
SO GRAND THAT
IT SHOULD BE
TAUGHT



WASN'T I
BEING
FULL OF
MYSELF?

BELIEVING MY
COUNTER WAS
PERFECT WITH
NO ROOM FOR
IMPROVEMENT?



MY
CURRENT
COUNTER
?

MORE
AMAZING
THAN...



MORE





BEING
BOTH
SHARP
AND
HEAVY
...

STAYING
ACCURATE
STILL BUT



IF I HAD A
STRONGER
COUNTER
...



BUT ONE
THAT WILL
KEEP THEM
DOWN FOR
GOOD...

IF IT HITS
IT DOESN'T
JUST MAKE
THE OPPO-
NENT FALL



A COUNTER TO
SURPASS ALL
COUNTER!!

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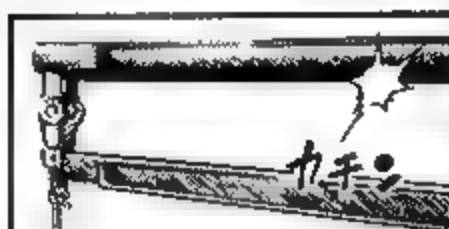
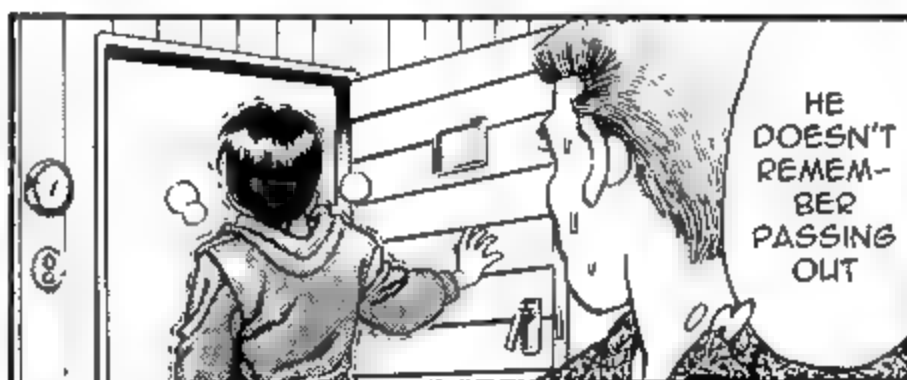
Round 127 The man who never laughs



ALL
COUNTERS

A
COUNTER
TO
SURPASS









WHOA —

IT'S REALLY
COMING DOWN



SQUALLS COME
WITHOUT WARNING.
HE MUST BE
GETTING SOAKED

ICHIROU'S NOT
USED TO THE
WEATHER IN
THAILAND



OUT ON
ROADWORK

BROTHER,
WHERE'S
ICHIROU?



CHANA!!



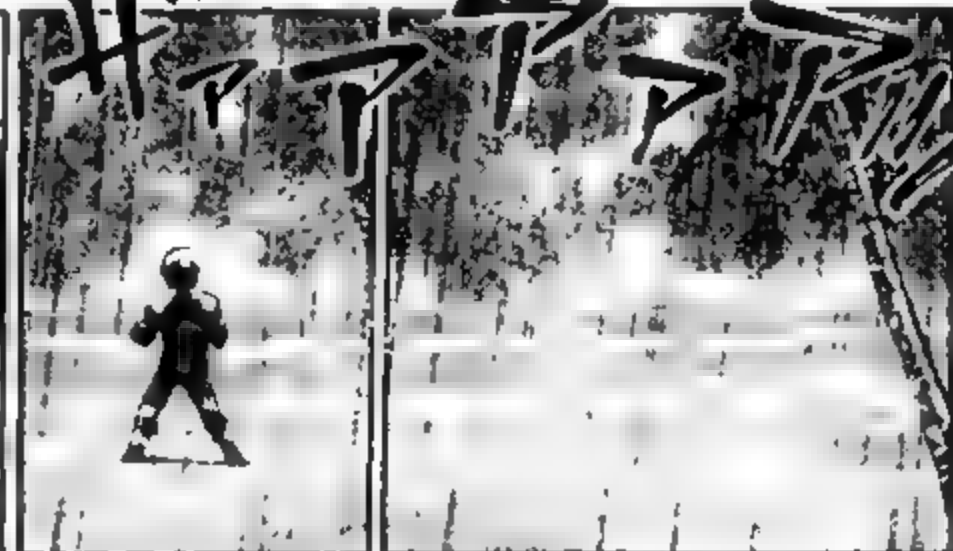
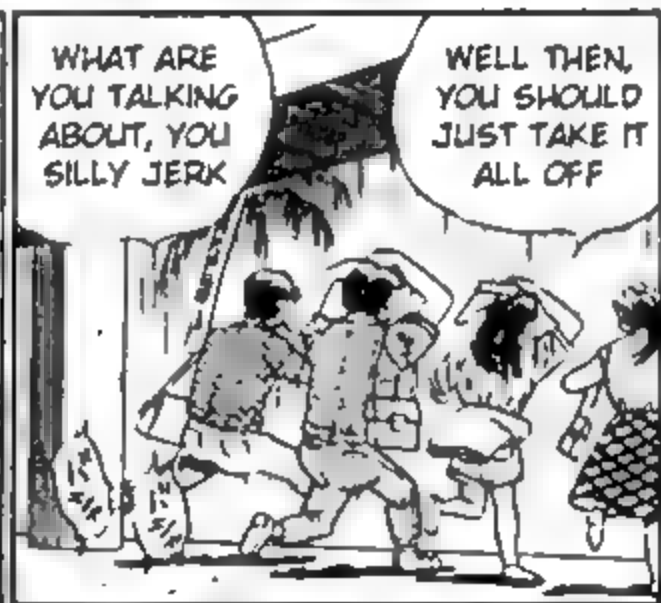
IF HE GETS
SICK BEFORE
HIS MATCH IT
WOULD BE
AWFUL!

B-BUT



WITH THIS
RAIN, IT
WOULD BE
POINTLESS

OH NO!! I'LL
BRING HIM AN
UMBRELLA









WHAT
IS IT?
CHANA
...



BUT I'VE
NEVER SEEN
ICHIROU
SMILE

ALL
JAPANESE
TOURIST
WHO COME
TO THAILAND
LOOK VERY
HAPPY....



YOU ARE
JAPANESE, BE-
YOU ARE CAUSE
NOT
"HUNGRY"

EVERYONE
AT THE
GYM SAY
ICHIROU
CAN NOT
BEAT
JIMMY



YOUR LIFE-
STYLE IS MORE
"HUNGRY"
THAN PEOPLE
OF THAILAND

BUT ICHIROU
DOES NOT
EAT FOOD,
DOES NOT
DRINK WATER



I DON'T
KNOW WHY
YOU WANT
TO BOX AT
ALL!!

ICHIROU
DOESN'T
LOOK
HAPPY AT
ALL



IS IT
FUN
?

WHY DO
YOU GET IN
THE RING
AND GET
HURT?



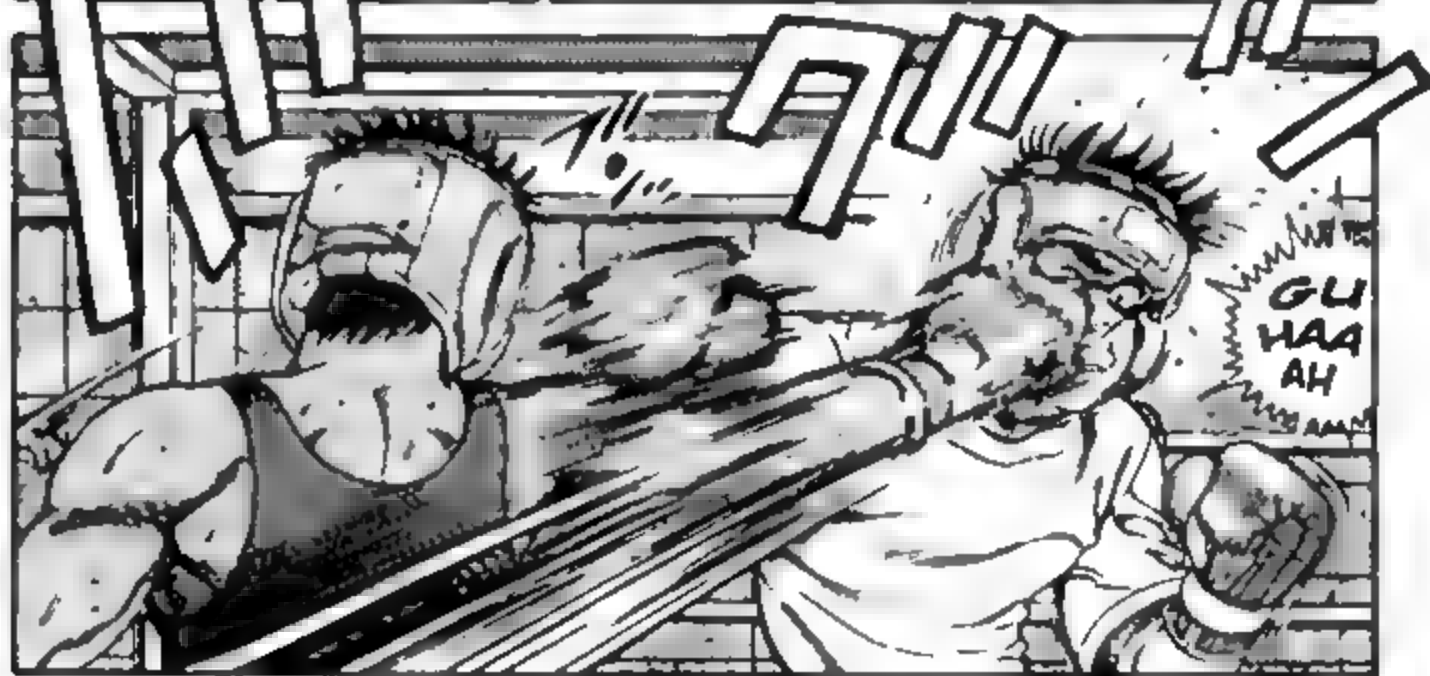
BUT JAPANESE
ARE
DIFFERENT
I THINK
THAILAND
BOXERS
WANT
MONEY SO
THEY FIGHT







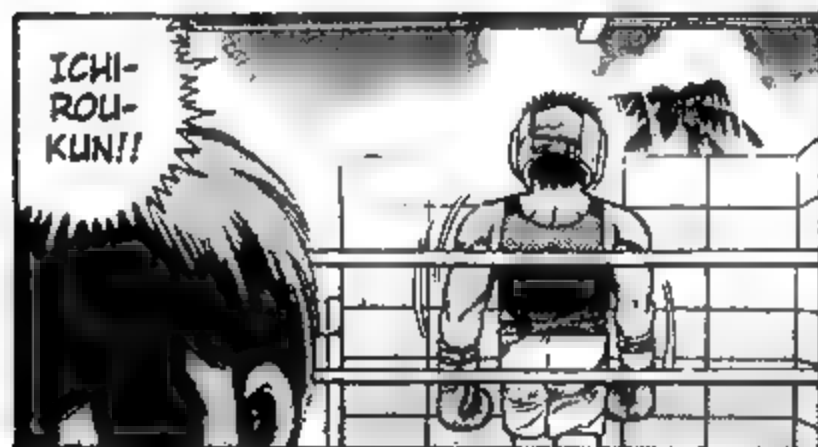
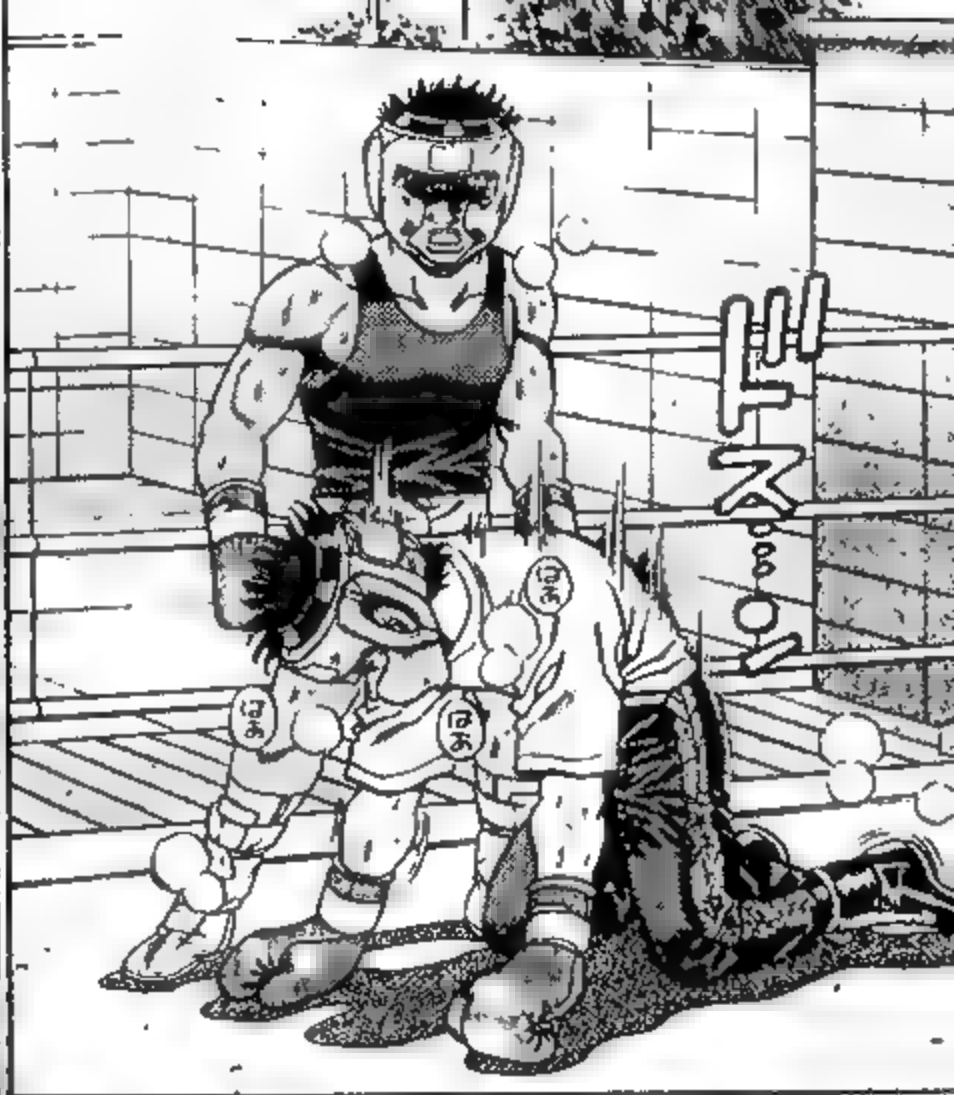














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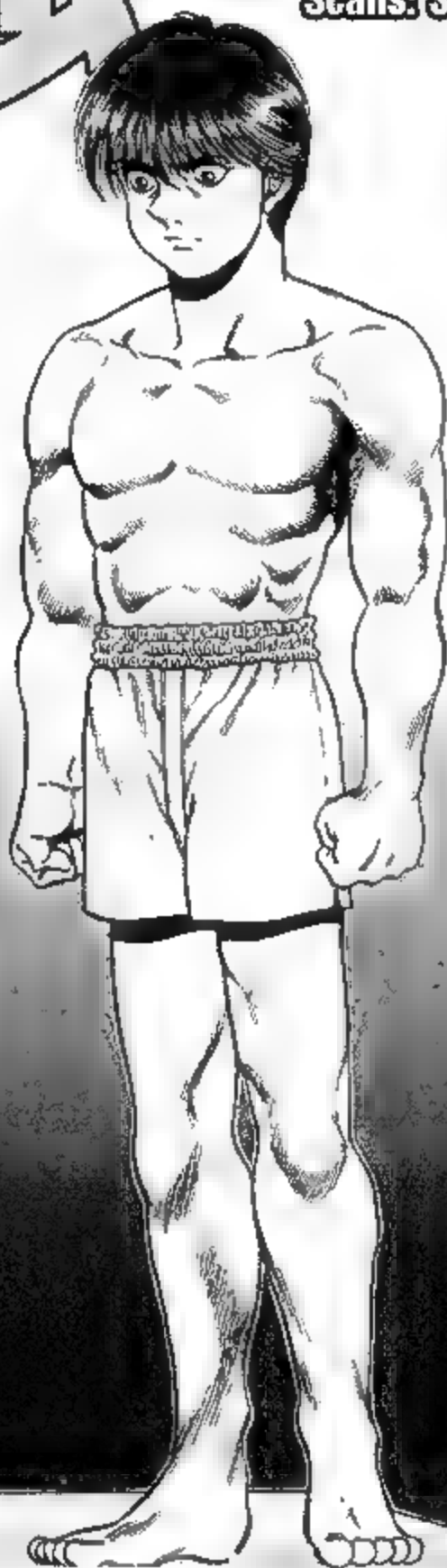


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THE FIGHTING!

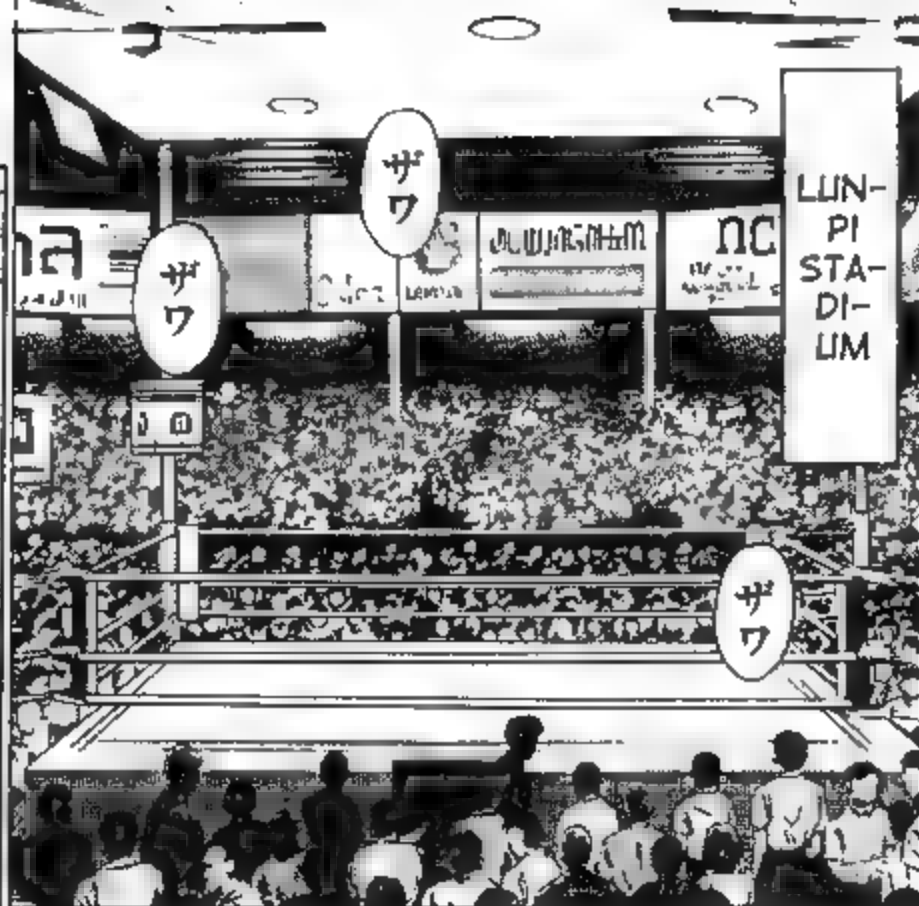
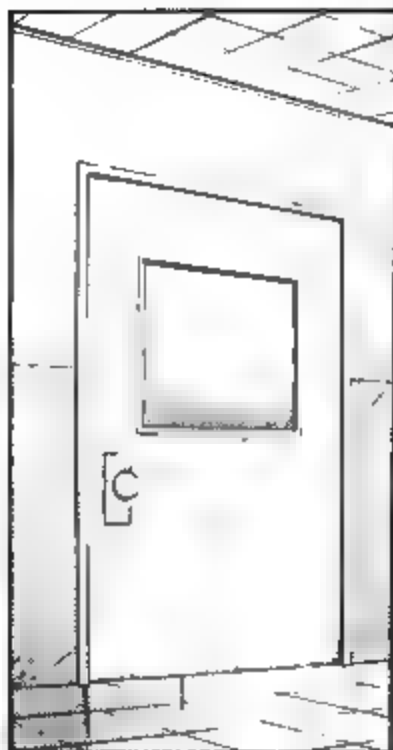
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DAY OF THE
MATCH
126 POUNDS
MIYATA ICHIROU

| | |
|-----------|--------------|
| Round 128 | Odds 30 to 1 |
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HE'S BUILT
HIMSELF
UP AT
125.5
POUNDS

JIMMY
SHOWED
UP AT THE
WEIGHTING
LATER SO I
STAYED
AND
WATCHED



SHRRR

JUDGING
BY HIS
SKIN
TONE, I'D
SAY HE'S
IN
PERFECT
CONDITION



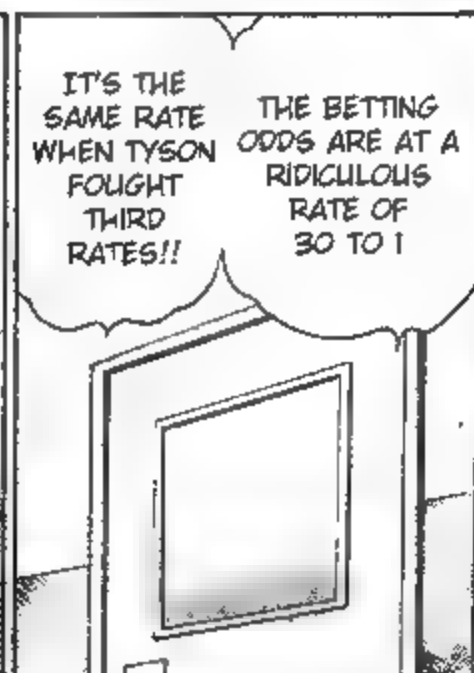
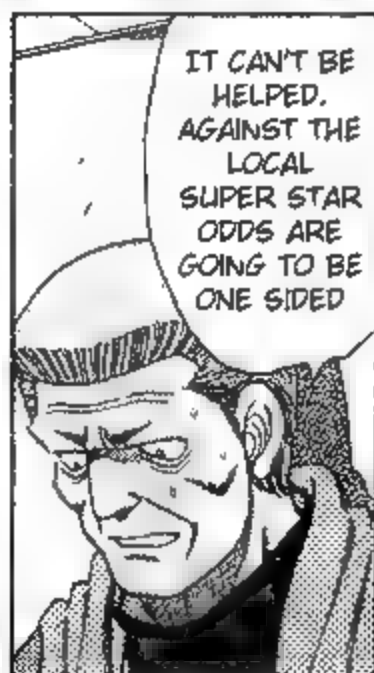
I'LL EVEN-
TUALLY
HAVE TO
SEE HIM IN
THE RING
ANYWAY

YOU
DON'T
HAVE
TO MIND
ME



LOOKS LIKE
WE MADE IT
IN TIME

BARELY
PASSING
THE
WEIGHT
LIMIT





IF IT WORKS
THEN EVEN
JIMMY MIGHT
FALL.....!!

THE NEW
COUNTER THAT
ICHIROU-KUN
PRACTICED
WITH PAYAO!!



IT HAS
TO BE
NERVE
WRACK-
ING

BUT PLACING
MONEY BETS
IN BOXING
DOESN'T
HAPPEN IN
JAPAN



THAT'S
RIGHT! IN
BETS YOU
NEVER
KNOW WHAT
HAPPENS!!

WE'LL WANT
TO MAKE IT
WORTH IT
FOR THE
PEOPLE WHO
BET ON THE
LONG SHOT



IF IT GETS
IN AS A
CLEAN HIT
EVEN JIMMY
COULDN'T
STAND

AGAINST
PAYAO, HE
COULD GET
IT 9 TIMES
OUT OF
10----

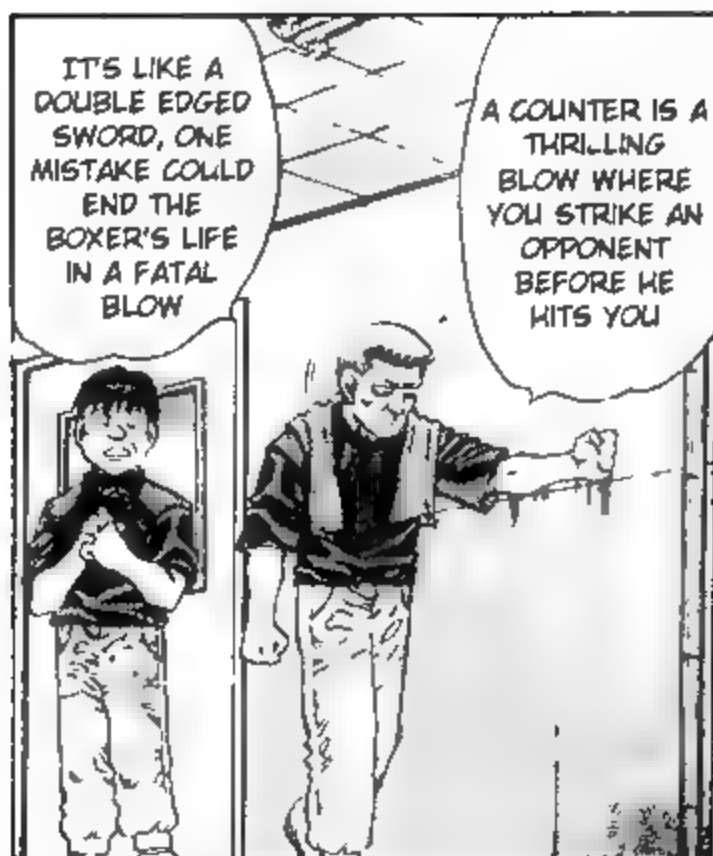


THAT'S
WHAT
PAYAO
TOLD ME

I-IT'S FIN-
ISHED
RIGHT?



ICHIROU HAS
OBTAINED A
DEADLY AND
FRIGHTENING
WEAPON TO MAKE
UP FOR HIS LIGHT
PUNCH





W-WHAT
WILL
HAPPEN
....

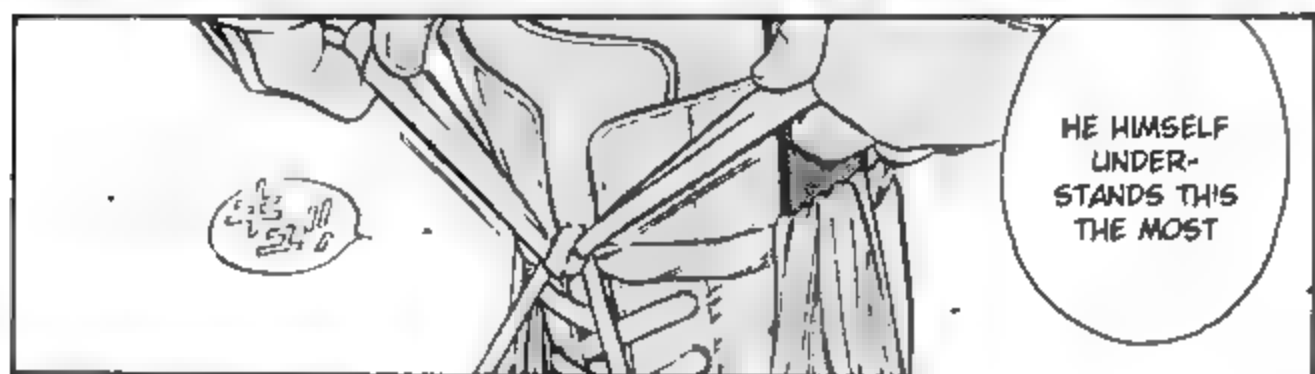


AGAINST SUCH AN
ADVERSARY CAN
HE REALLY suc-
cessfully use
such a difficult
counter...



ONLY A
TRAGIC
RESULT
WILL
AWAIT HIM

IF HE
FAILS
....



HE HIMSELF
UNDER-
STANDS THIS
THE MOST



THAT'S
FUNNY



I CAN'T
GET IT
RIGHT

AGAIN



A LOCAL
SUPER-
STAR
VERSUS A
ROOKIE IN
HIS FIRST
10 ROUND
BOUN

DAMN

I REALLY AM
NOTHING
MORE THAN A
LOWLY
STRUGGLING
UNDERDOG

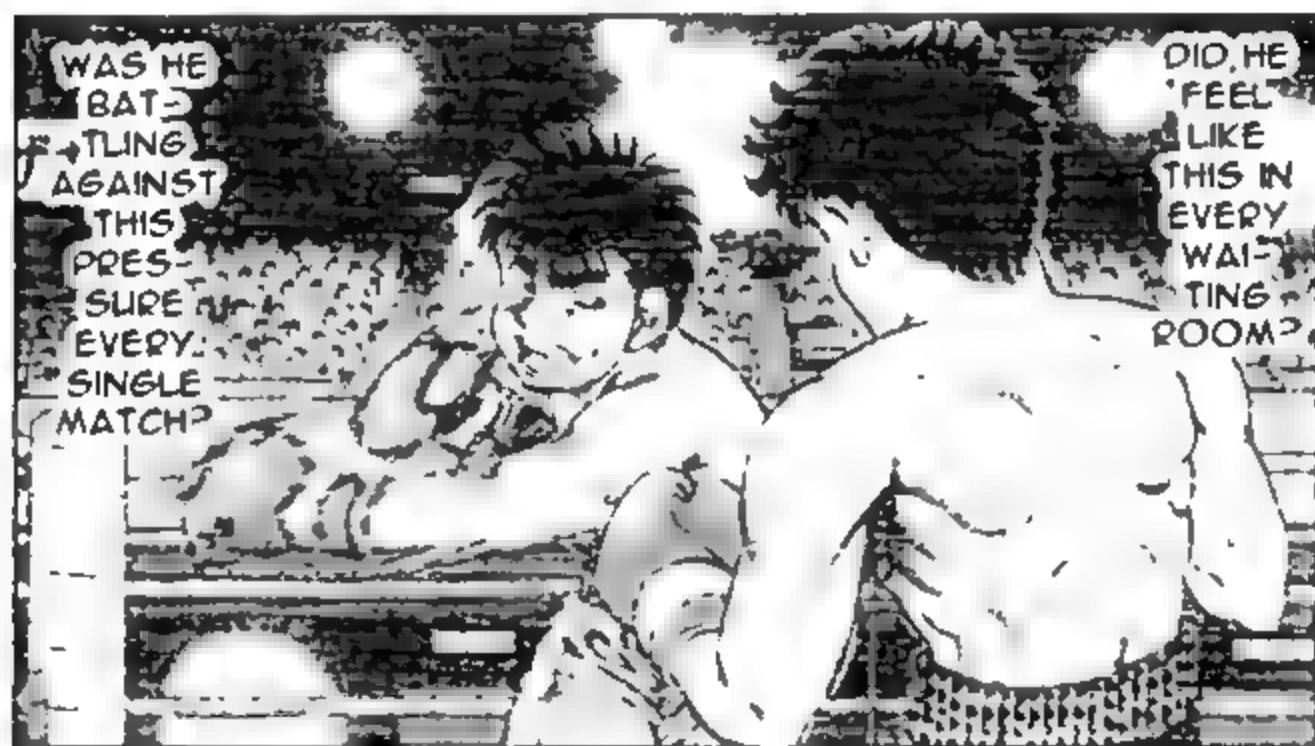
I'M
NOTHING
MORE THAN
SMALL FRY

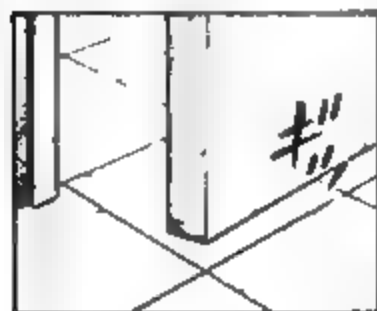
ACTING ALL
TOUGH AND
LEAVING
JAPAN.

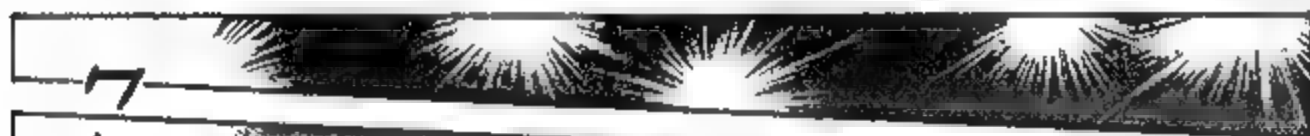
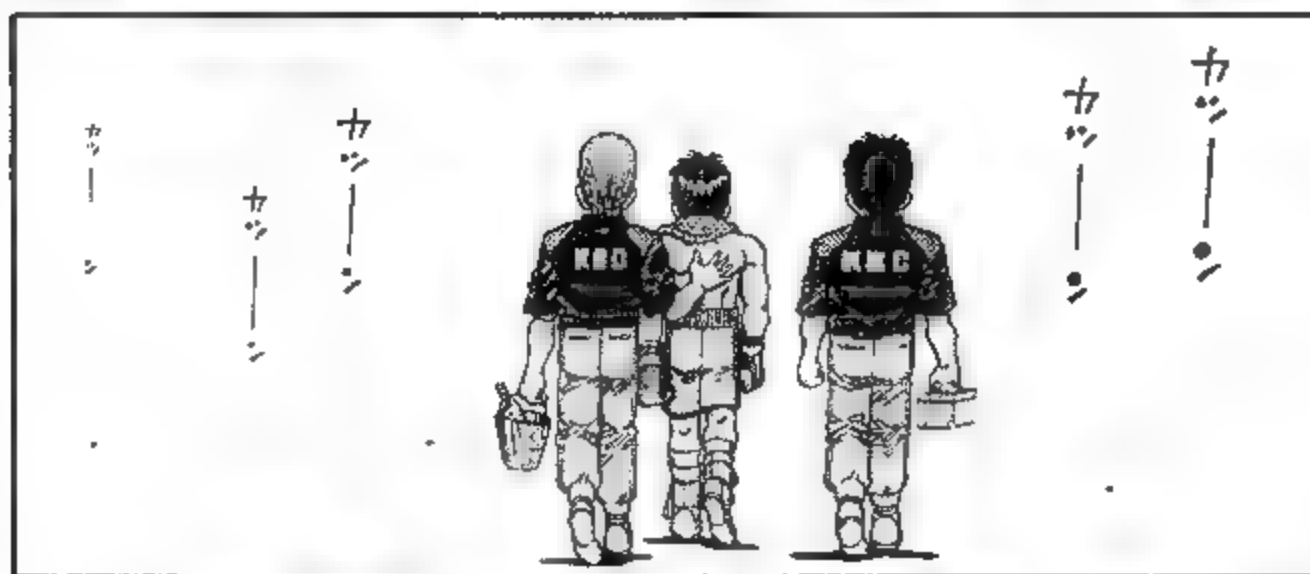
THERE NOT
MUCH TIME LEFT
COME ON, I'VE
GOT TO GET
OVER IT!!

DAMN
IT-----
DAMN
IT-----

SO I'M
REALLY
JUST
SCARED,
THAT'S ALL







THE HOPE OF THAI-
LAND BOXING SINCE
KHAOSAI GALAXY
RETIRED,

LADIES AND
GENTLEMAN! THE
AWAITED MATCH IS
ABOUT TO BEGIN!!

JIMMY SHISFA HAS
NOW ENTERED THE
RING

AND IN THE BLUE
CORNER, THE CHAL-
LENGER FROM JAPAN
ICHIROU MIYATA!!

TONIGHT'S MAIN
EVENT, A 10
ROUND BOUT!!

WE ARE ABOUT
TO START





IN OTHER
WORDS IF
THERE'S ANY
CHEERING
FOR ME, IT
WON'T MAKE
A DIFFER-
ENCE



DAMN IT!
THIS IS
COM-
PLETLY
ONE SIDED



START OFF WITH
JUST OBSERV-
ING HIM, AND
WATCH OUT FOR
BOTH OF THIS
INSIDE HOOKS!!



SECONDS
OUT
FATHER!

YOU
READY
ICHIROU
?



B
E
E
E
E
P



JUST
LIKE
THEY
SAID..
JIMMY'S
STRONG!

SINCE I
SAW
HIS
EYES; I
CAN
TELL







TRYING IT
AGAINST
JIMMY IS
SUICIDE

THAT COUNTER
IS FAR TOO
RISKY



NO!! EVEN IF HE
COULD USE IT ON
ME, IT DOESN'T
MEAN HE CAN DO
THE SAME AGAINST
JIMMY

JIMMY IS MUCH
MORE STRONGER
THAN I AM!!



S-SEE!
ICHIROU STILL
HAS A
CHANCE...



OF COURSE

ICHIROU'S
SIDE!!



BROTHER, WHO'S
SIDE ARE YOU
ON!?



WE'RE GONNA
CHEER LIKE
HELL CHANA!!

O-OK!!

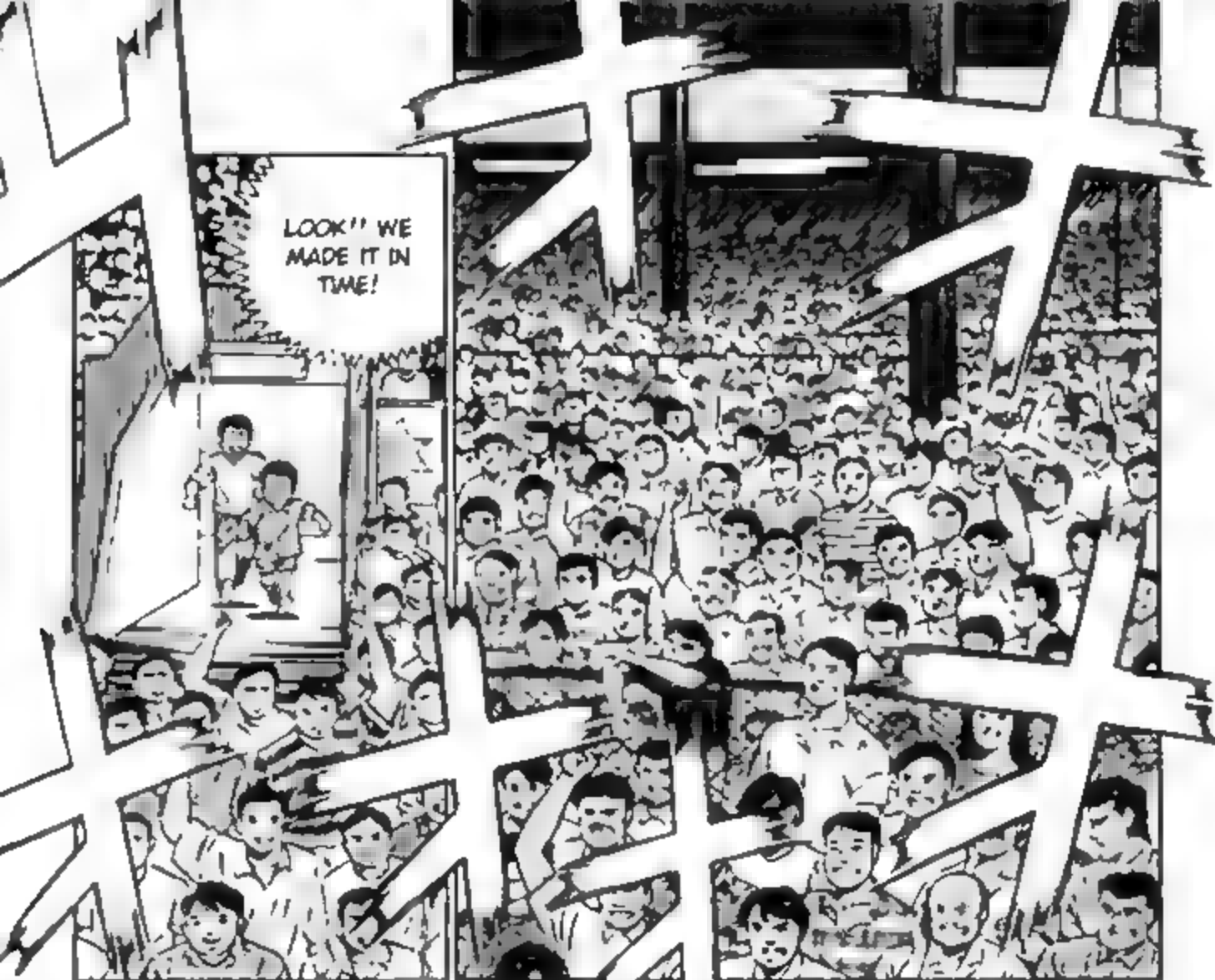


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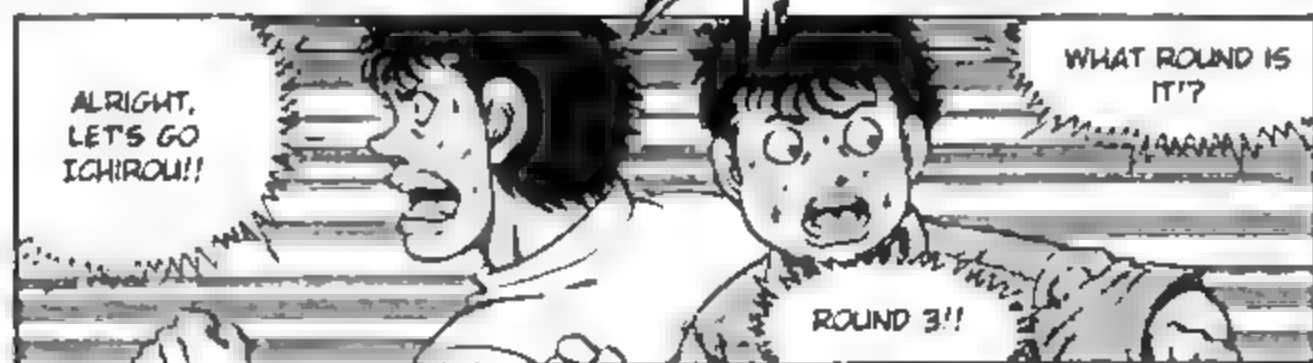


AND BET THEM
ON ICHIROU!!

IN PROOF, I'VE
TAKEN ALL OUR
LIFE SAVINGS



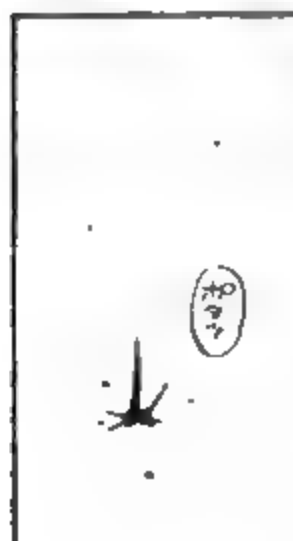
LOOK!! WE
MADE IT IN
TIME!



ALRIGHT,
LET'S GO
ICHIROU!!

WHAT ROUND IS
IT'?

ROUND 3!!



OK!!



....
....



ICHIROU!!



WILL THIS BECOME
THE FINISHER'?

HE CONTINUES TO
GO FORWARD!
HE'S NOT LETTING
UP!!

MYATA CAN
BARELY DEFEND
HIMSELF! HIS FACE
IS ALREADY
COVERED IN
BLOOD!!

JIMMY'S RUSH
CONTINUES!!

AAAAH



IT'S
EVEN
MORE
THEN
THEY
SAID



H-HE'S
TOO
STRONG



A-----
A RIGHT-----

A CLEAN
HIT!!



HE'S
DOWN!!

H-HE'S FALLEN.
MIYATA HAS HELD
OUT FOR 3 ROUNDS!

BUT
FINALLY!!

UHH!!

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MIYATA'S
DOWN — !!

JIMMY'S RIGHT
CONNECTS AT
MIYATA'S
TEMPLE!!



HE'S WITHSTOOD
FOR 3 ROUNDS
BUT HAS FINALLY
FALLEN DOWN

WE'VE NEVER
LOST BETTING
ON YOU

SUCH A DISPLAY
OF STRENGTH HAS
THE CROWD IN AN
UPROAR!!

YES —
IT'S OVER

SO
STRONG — !!

I...
ICHIROU

DOES HE
HAVE THE
STRENGTH
TO STAND
!?

HOLDING OUT
LONGER MUST
HAVE MADE THE
DAMAGE LARGER

B-BROTHER,
WHAT ABOUT
ICHIROU'S NEW
COUNTER!?

I CAN'T BELIEVE
THAT SOMEONE
WITH SUCH GOOD
REFLEXES LIKE
ICHIROU TOOK
SUCH A ONE SIDED
BEATING

JIMMY DOESN'T
LOOK LIKE HE
WAS HIT AT ALL

DID IT FAIL
AGAINST
JIMMY!?

THE DIFFERENCE
OF STRENGTH IS
SO GREAT....

THE
COUNT
IS AT
3!!

ICHIROU-
KUN,
CAN YOU
STAND!?

NO...
HE PROBABLY
HASN'T TRIED
IT YET

MU...

C-CAN HE
STAND?
HE'S
TAKEN A
LOT OF
DAMAGE

IF HE DID, WHETHER
IT SUCCEEDED OR
FAILED, THE MATCH
WOULD BE OVER

KEEP
TRYING
ICHIROU-
KUN!!

ALRIGHT,
KEEP IT UP!!
YOU CAN
STILL FIGHT

CAN HE
STAND!?

MIYATA RAISES
HIS UPPER
BODY!!

TAKE
HIM OUT

HE'S GOING
TO STAND

FINISH HIM
OFF JIMMY
!!

ZEH

ZEH

ZEH

YOU'RE
PROBABLY
EXCITED
THAT THE
UNDERDOG
IS TAKING A
BEATING AS
PLANNED

S-SHUT UP,
I DON'T
UNDERSTAND
WHAT YOU'RE
SAYING.

ZEH

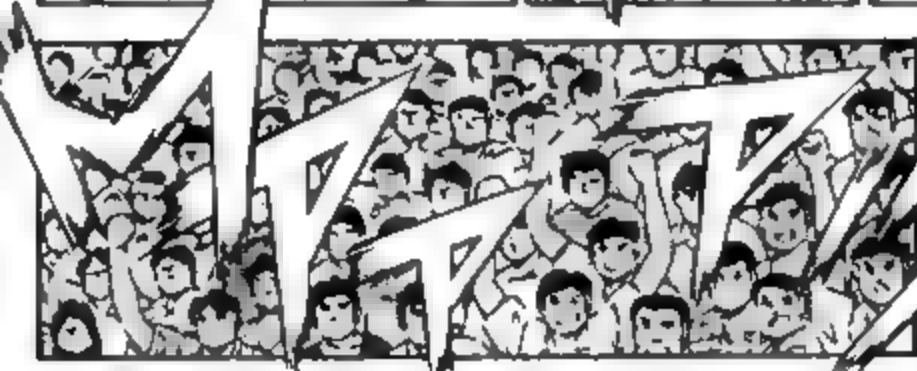
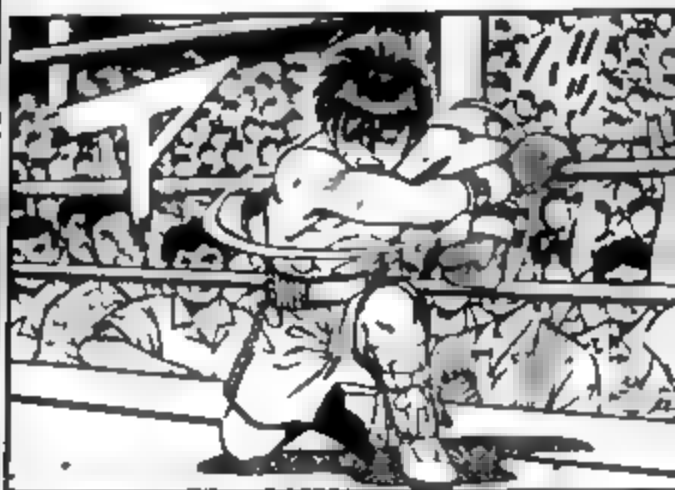
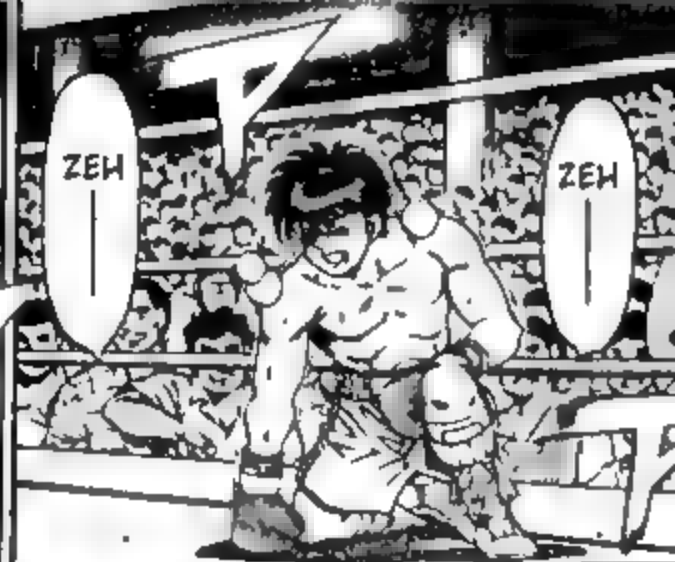
ZEH

ZEH



ZEH

ZEH



KU



THINKING
THERE JUST
MIGHT BE A
CHANCE THAT
IT WOULD BE
ENOUGH

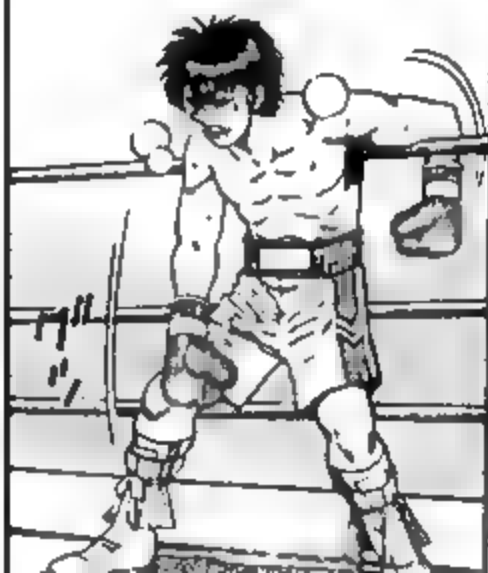
I ENDED UP
FIGHTING IN
THE STYLE
I'M MOST
USED TO

IT'S NO
WONDER
THE
CROWD'S
GOING
CRAZY

DAMN

HOW
PATHETIC

AH — HE'S
WOBBLING, CAN
HE NOT STAND!?





MIYATA HAS
MANAGED TO
STAND!

WILL THE
FIGHT
CONTINUE!?



THIS GUY
IS BEYOND
STRONG

AND THAT
DIDN'T
WORK AT
ALL



FIGHT!!

THE MATCH
CONTINUES!
20 SECONDS
LEFT IN
ROUND 3!!
CAN JIMMY
END IT!?



CAN YOU
CONTINUE!?



FINALLY
NOW

Nod



I'M
OVER
IT!!

HAH

HAH

HAH



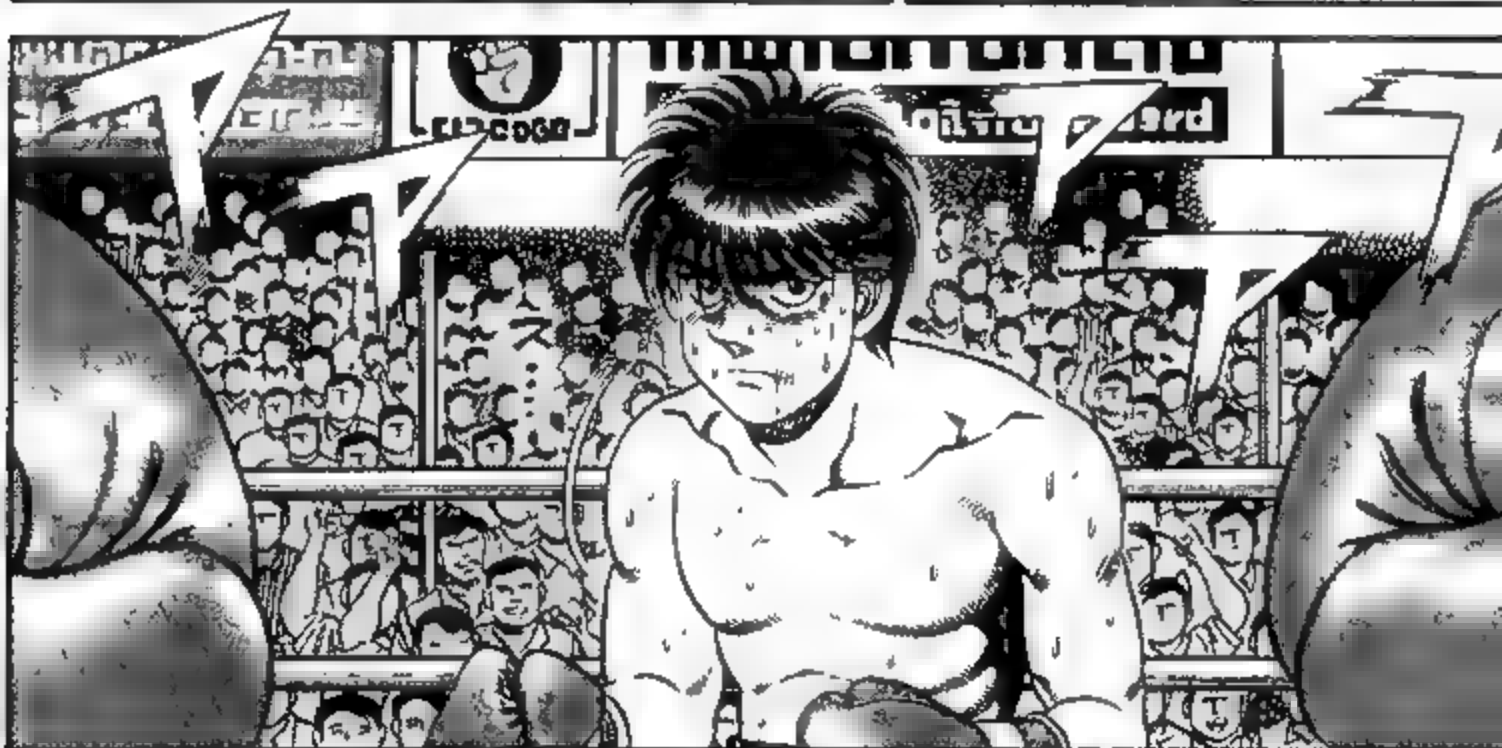
JIMMY
STEPS
FORWARD!!

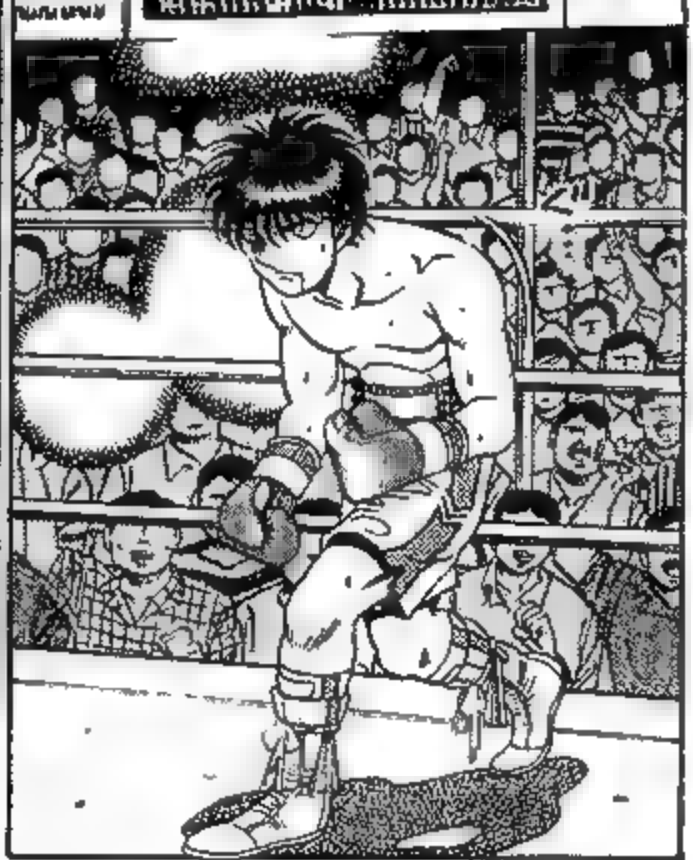
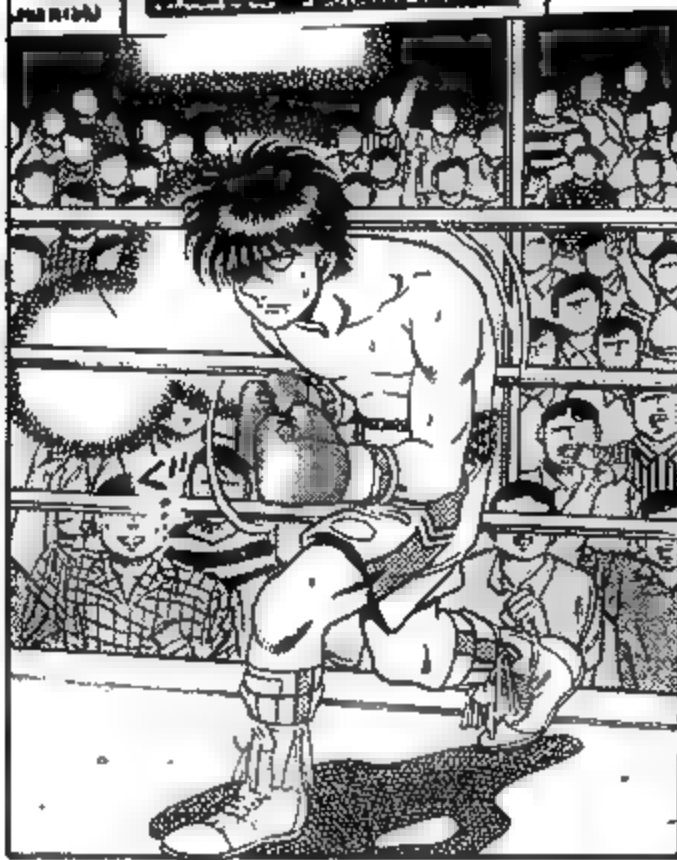


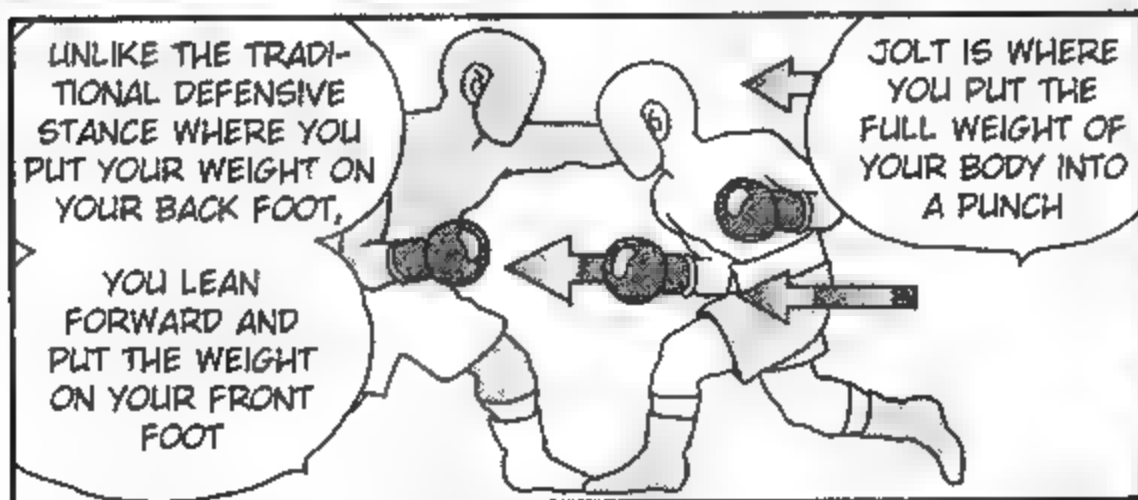
WIN OUR
ALLOWANCE
FOR US

GO, GO
JIMMY — !!

FINISH IT
OFF!!







TO THE
ULTIMATE
COUNTER
BLOW!!

THAT IS
ICHIROU'S
ANSWER



IF YOU FAIL,
THAT DAMAGES
COMES BACK
TO YOURSELF

THAT
COUNTER WHICH
PRODUCES
SUCH AMAZING
DAMAGE...



SO HE'S
GOING TO
USE IT....



THAT WOULD
ULTIMATELY
END ICHIROU'S
BOXING CAREER
...

WHEN YOU
FELL, I
WANTED
YOU TO
STAY
DOWN

I KNEW YOU
WOULD TRY
THE NEW
COUNTER IF
YOU STOOD
UP AGAIN



THEY
WILL BE
HORRIBLE
ANYWAY.

WHETHER
THE
RESULTS
ARE GOOD
OR BAD

I DON'T
KNOW IF
IT WILL
SUCCEED



ICHIROU
MIYATA
!!

YOUR LEGS
WON'T MOVE,
SO YOU'LL TRY
ONE LAST ALL
OUT ATTACK

HOW VERY
JAPANESE

HIS STANCE
IS LIKE AN
INFIGHTER

SO YOU
WISH TO
TRADE
BLOWS
WITH ME





ICHIROU'S
AIMING FOR
THAT RIGHT
HOOK!



LOWING
THE LEFT
GUARD
WAS
BAIT!

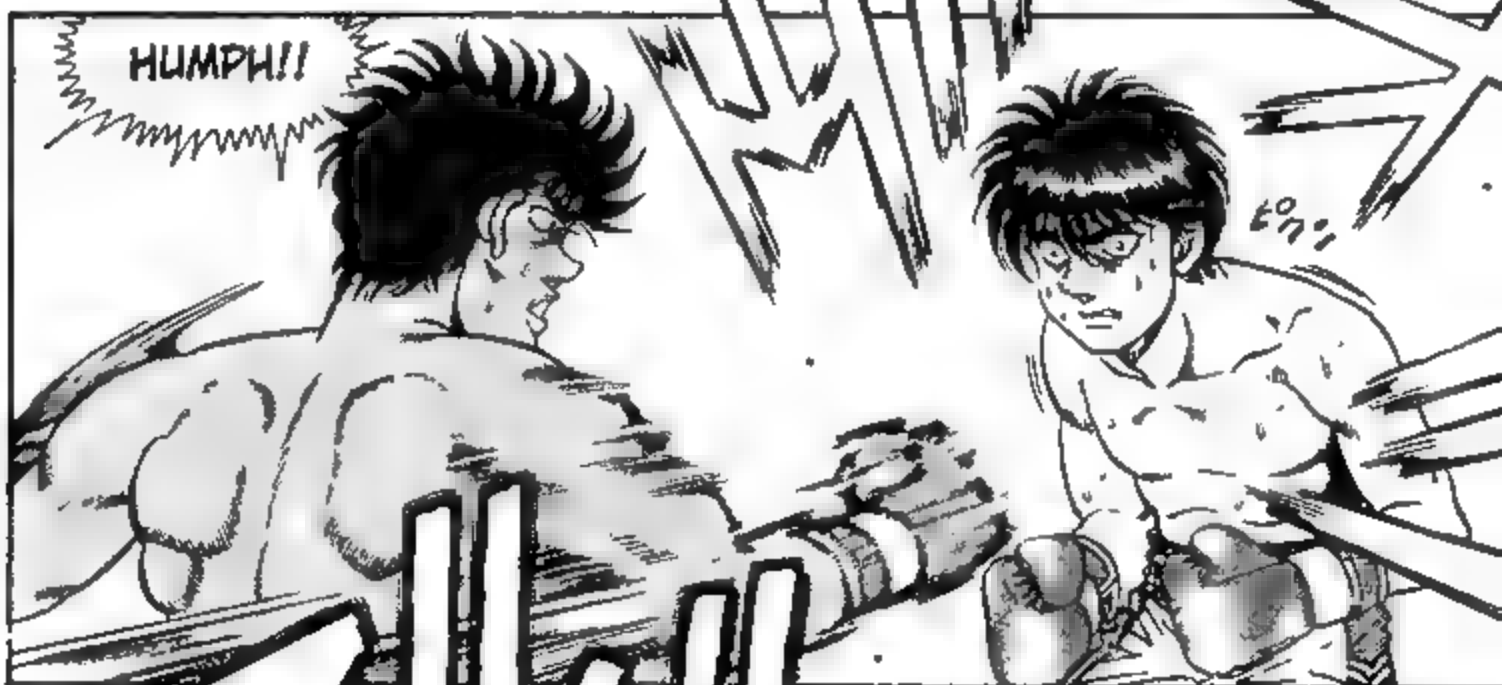


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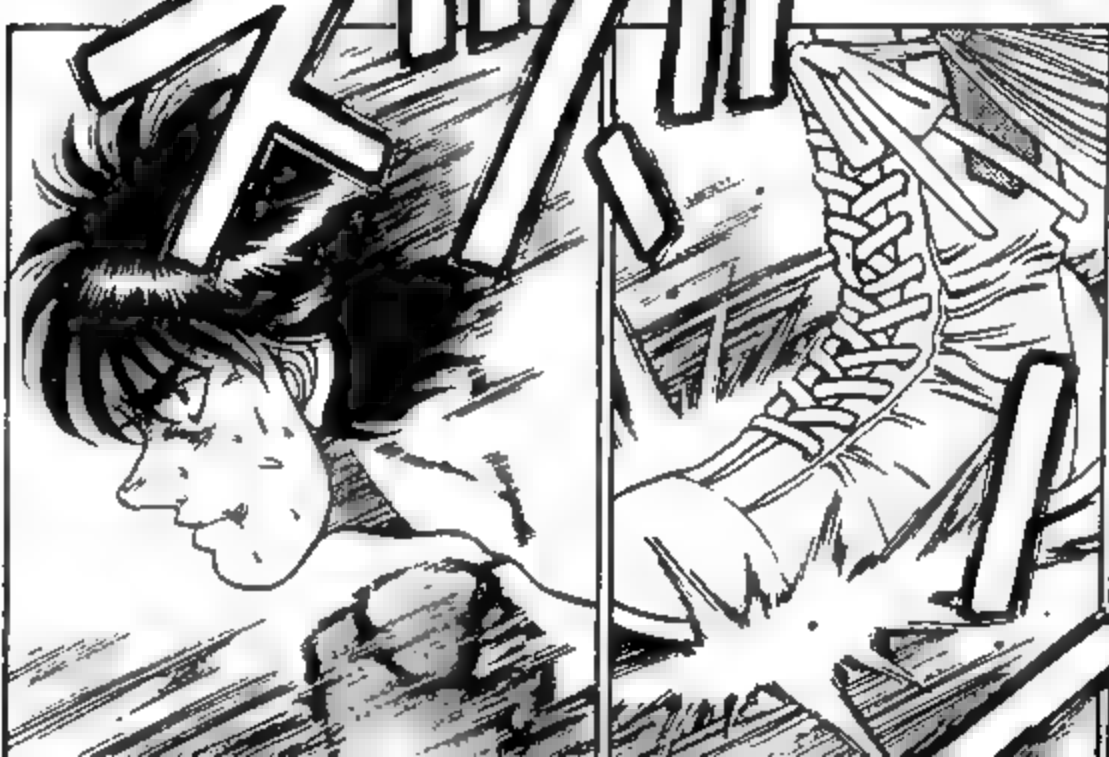


I
HAVE
HIM
!!

HIS LEFT
GUARD
DROPPED
!!



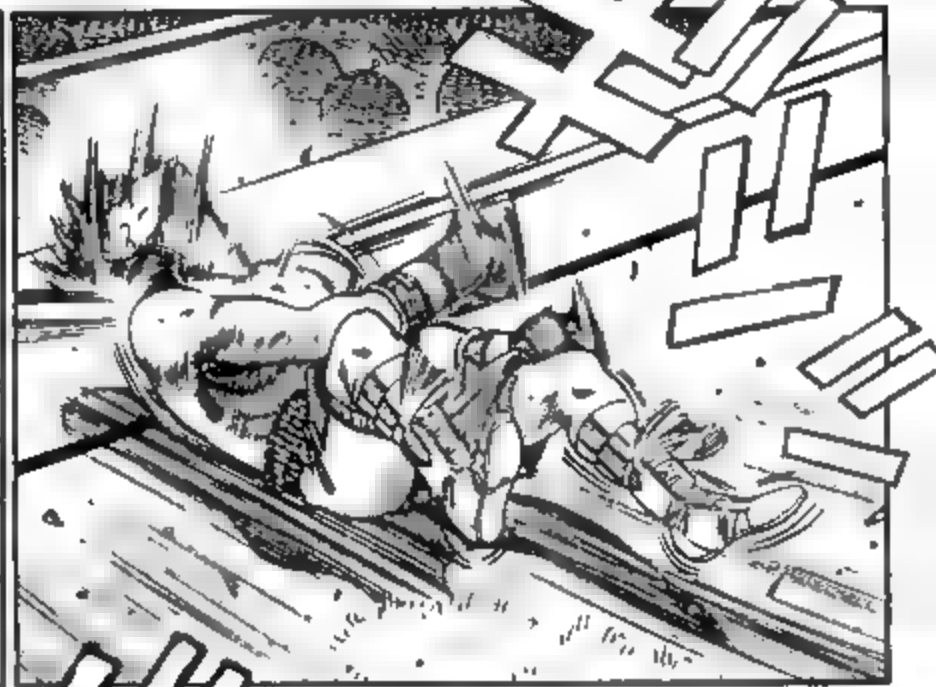
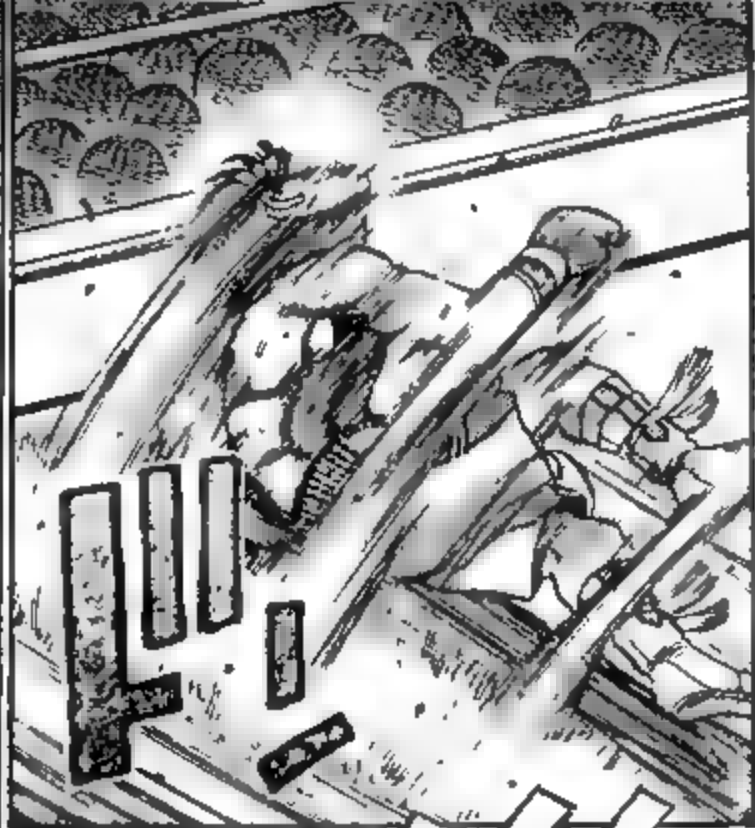
HUMPH!!

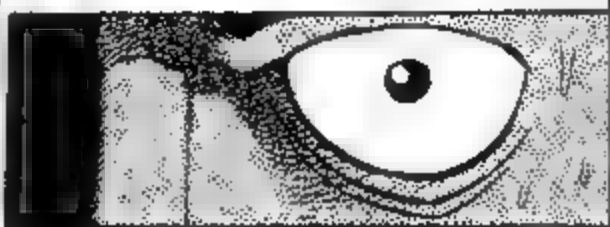


HERE IT
COMES
!!











ICHIROU
ISN'T EVEN
FLINCHING

IS THIS THE
DECIDING DOWN
!?



THE
ROPES
HIT THE
BACK OF
HIS HEAD



T-THIS
IS BAD

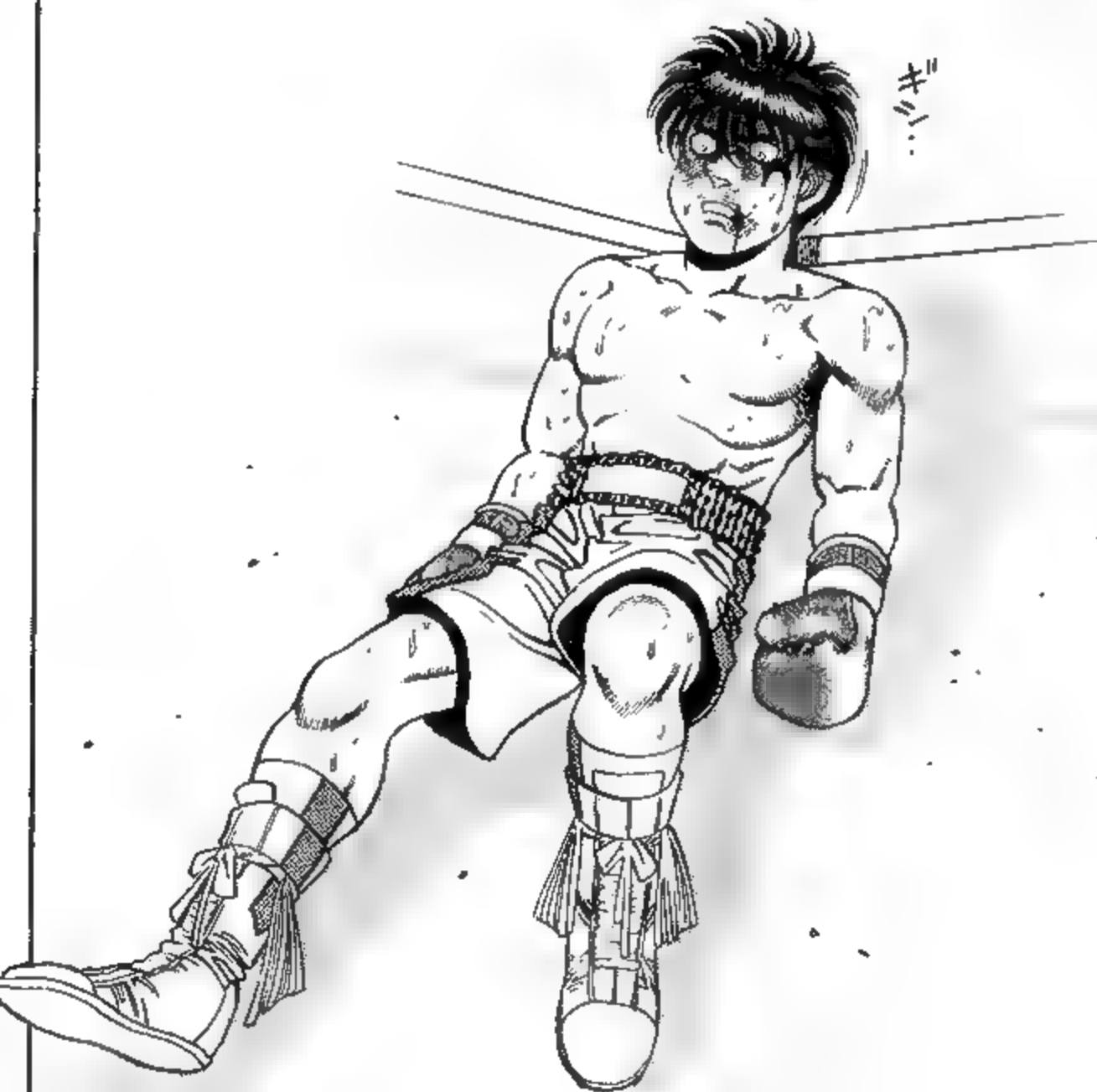


WAIT
!!

HE MUST
HAVE A
BRAIN CON-
CUSSION

I'M
THROWING
IN THE
TOWEL







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Squall



TO WITHSTAND
JIMMY'S POW-
ERFUL PUNCHES
AND STAND
AGAIN

THIS IS
A TRUE
SURPRISE!!

M-MYATA HAS
MANAGED TO
STAND UP



elf
C-CAN YOU
CONTINUE?

THE ONE
WHO IS MOST
SURPRISED
IS ME

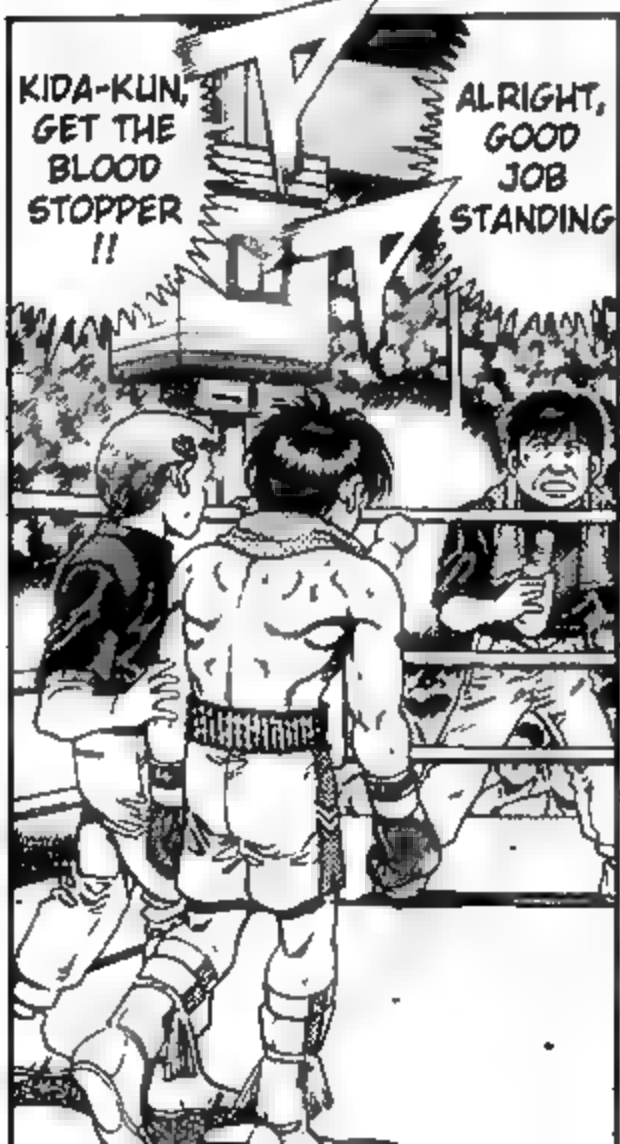
HIS EYES
AREN'T
FOCUSED

IT'S
IMPOSSIBLE...

MY PUNCH WAS
HEAVY AND I
FELT IT WAS
OVER...

WE'RE
STOPPING
!!

W-WAIT
MIYATA!







HIS EAR
DRUM HAS
RUPTURED

RAIN IS
FALLING...



THERE'S NO
WAY HE
CAN STILL
FIGHT WITH
ALL THIS
DAMAGE

HIS
CONSCIOUSNESS
IS WAVERING—
IT'S NO
SURPRISE,
HITTING THE
BACK OF HIS
HEAD ON THE
ROPES



HE'S AT
HIS LIMIT
.....

M-MIYATA-SAN,
WE HAVE TO
GET HIM TO A
HOSPITAL AND
HAVE HIM
EXAMINED
RIGHT NOW



WHA
...
!?



BUT
YOU'RE STILL
LOOKING AT
HIS PUNCH
TOO MUCH
!!

USING THE
JOLT AS A
COUNTER
IS NOT A
BAD IDEA



ICHI-
ROU
...





(*TRANS NOTE IN JAPANESE THIS IS WRITTEN AS THE CARICATURE OF "COURAGE" BUT READ AS "HEART")





nod
...



GO
GET HIM
ICHIROU!

PUT
EVERYTHING
YOU HAVE
INTO IT



BUT IT LOOKS
AS THOUGH I
WAS A BIT
WRONG

I HAD BELIEVED
THAT JAPANESE
BOXERS WERE
NOT "HUNGRY"



I'VE MET NO
OPPONENTS IN
MY CAREER THAT
HAVE THAT MUCH
FIGHTING SPIRIT

IT'S TRUE....
HE HAS
INCREDIBLE
DETERMINATION



IN THE NEXT
ROUND I'LL USE
ALL MY STRENGTH
TO FINISH THIS
OFF

OK



SO PAY HIM
HIS RESPECTS
JIMMY....

GO
JIMMY!!

TAKE HIM
OUT!!

ROUND 4

FINISH HIM
IN THIS
ROUND!!



MI-
YATA-
SAN

AND TELLING
HIM TO TRY
THAT
COUNTER
AGAIN...

W-WHY DIDN'T
YOU STOP HIM,
HE MIGHT
LOSE HIS
LIFE IF HE
CONTINUES.

JUST ONCE
I USED
THAT SAME
COUNTER

WHEN I WAS
THE ASIAN
PACIFIC
CHAMPION

IT'S AN
OLD
STORY





THE NEW
COUNTER THAT
HE'S COME UP
WITH IS THE
SAME PUNCH
THAT ENDED
MY BOXING
CAREER



I
FAILED

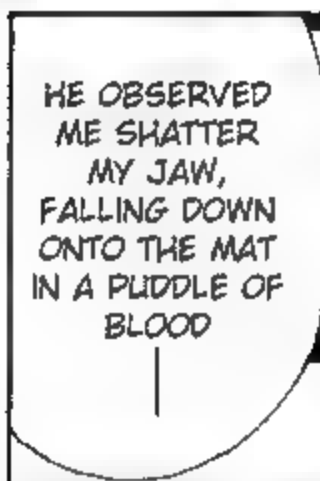


...
HUH?
Huh?



TO BE
ACCU-
RATE, I
TRIED TO
USE IT

NO



HE OBSERVED
ME SHATTER
MY JAW,
FALLING DOWN
ONTO THE MAT
IN A PUDDLE OF
BLOOD

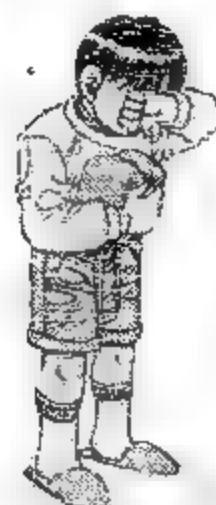


THAT TIME,
ICHIROU SAW
THE ENTIRE
THING FROM
THE SIDE OF
THE RING



HE HIT
THE SAME
OBSTACLE
AND CAME UP
WITH THE
SAME
SOLUTION
AS ME...

IT REALLY
IS IRONIC





MYATA
IS STILL
HURT

YEAH, TAKE
HIM OUT!!

DEFEAT
HIM

AND NOW IT
IS MY TURN
TO BE THE
OBSERVER!



AAH, IT'S SO
DANGEROUS.
I CAN'T WATCH



HE'S HURT
SO HE CAN'T
ESCAPE
USING
FOOTWORK



EVEN IN THAT
SITUATION,
HE'S
DODGING
JIMMY'S
RUSH



BUT WHAT
A KEEN
SENSE



CHI

WHAT'S
WRONG
JIMMY!!



HURRY UP
AND
FINISH IT

I HAVE TO
RESPOND
AS IT'S
STARTING

I CAN'T
FOLLOW THE
PUNCH WITH
MY EYES!

NO!
THAT'S
NOT THE
TIMING!!





I'VE
CAUGHT
YOU



AAH —



GAH







ICHIROU
NEVER
SMILES

IT'S
HARD TO
MOVE...

MY ARMS
AND LEGS
ARE WEARY



I DON'T
KNOW WHY
YOU WANT
TO BOX AT
ALL!!

IS IT
FUN
?

WHY DO
YOU GET IN
THE RING
AND GET
HURT?



UH
WO

OH

A
REA-
SON
?

WHY
?



OH, AN
UPPERCUT.
LOOK OUT



LEFT—!!

MIYATA
DODGES IT!



MU



I'VE GOT
YOU!!

!!



BUT THE SWING
THREW HIM OFF
BALANCE!

MIYATA
WOBBLES
FORWARD



UAAAAAAAA





IT'S
NO
GOOD



NO...
THAT
STANCE
....!!

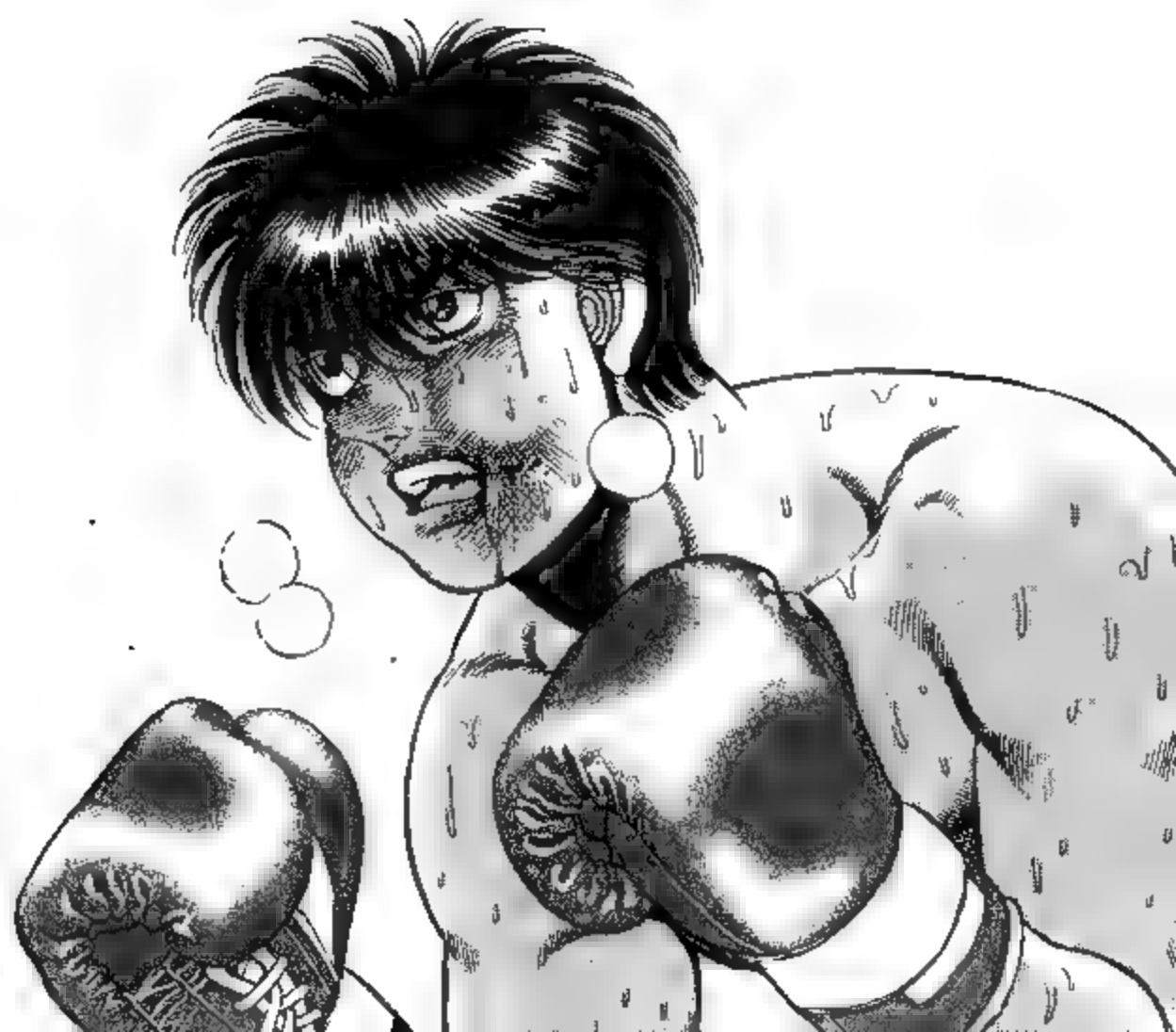


THE FINISH!!





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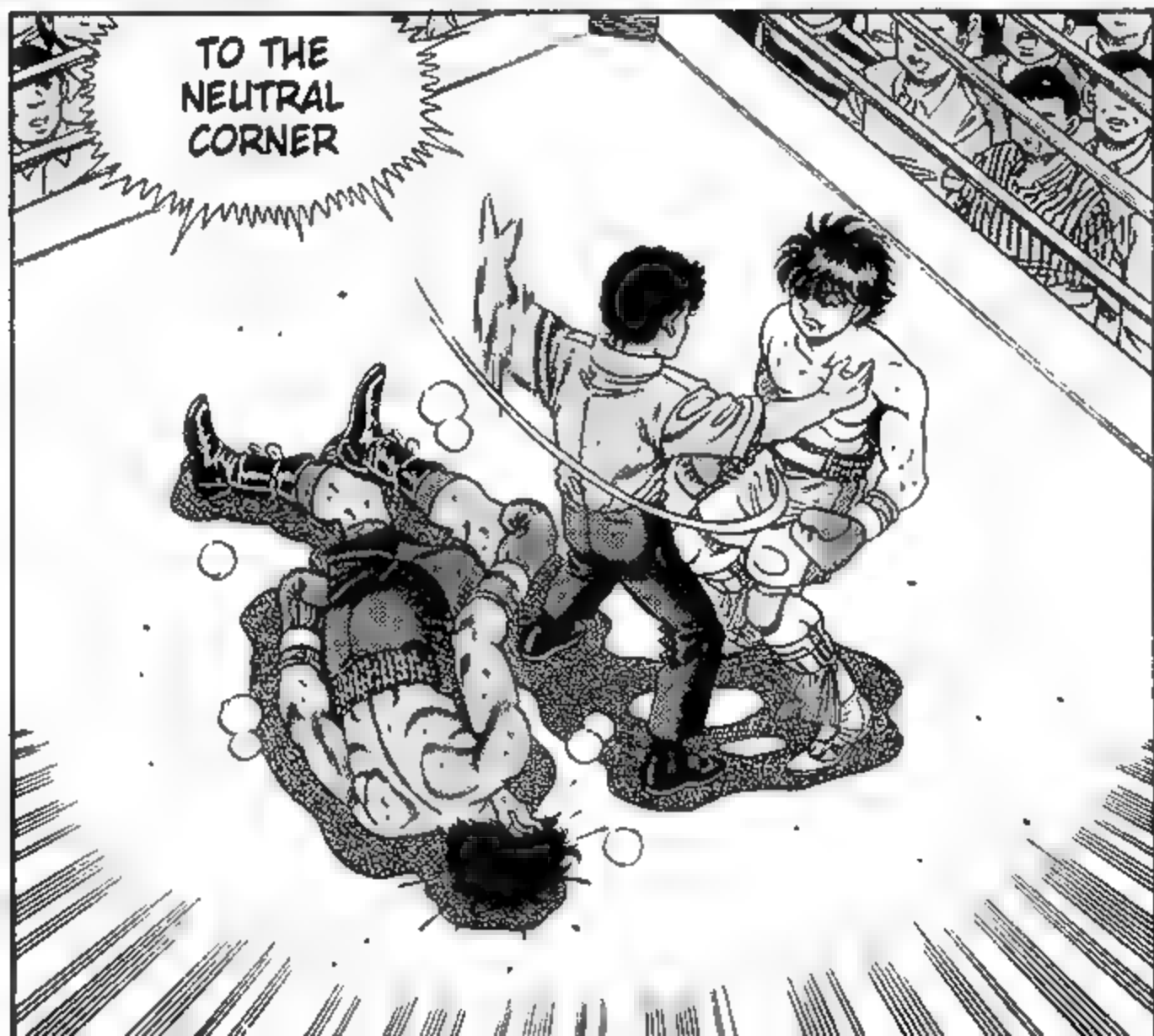
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Round 131 A single moment of laughter





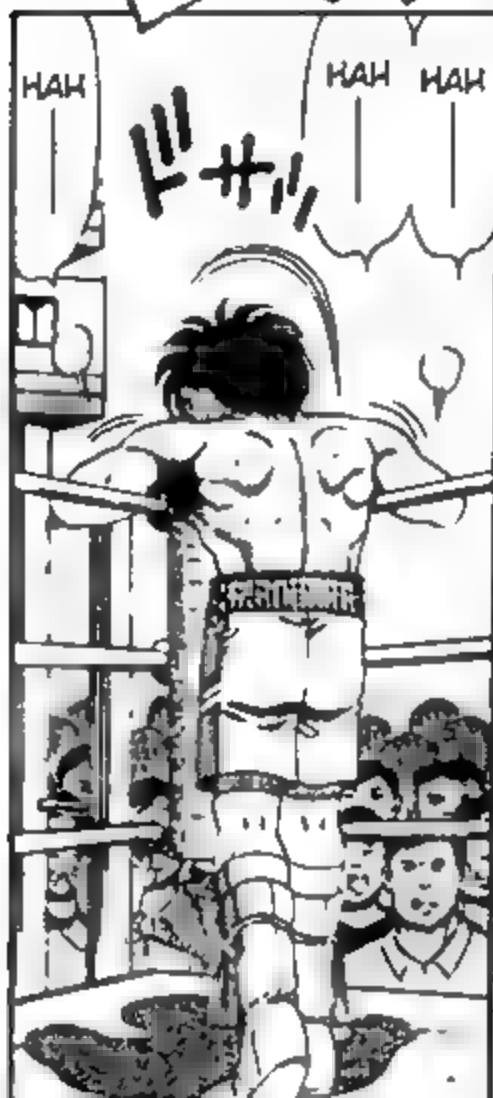
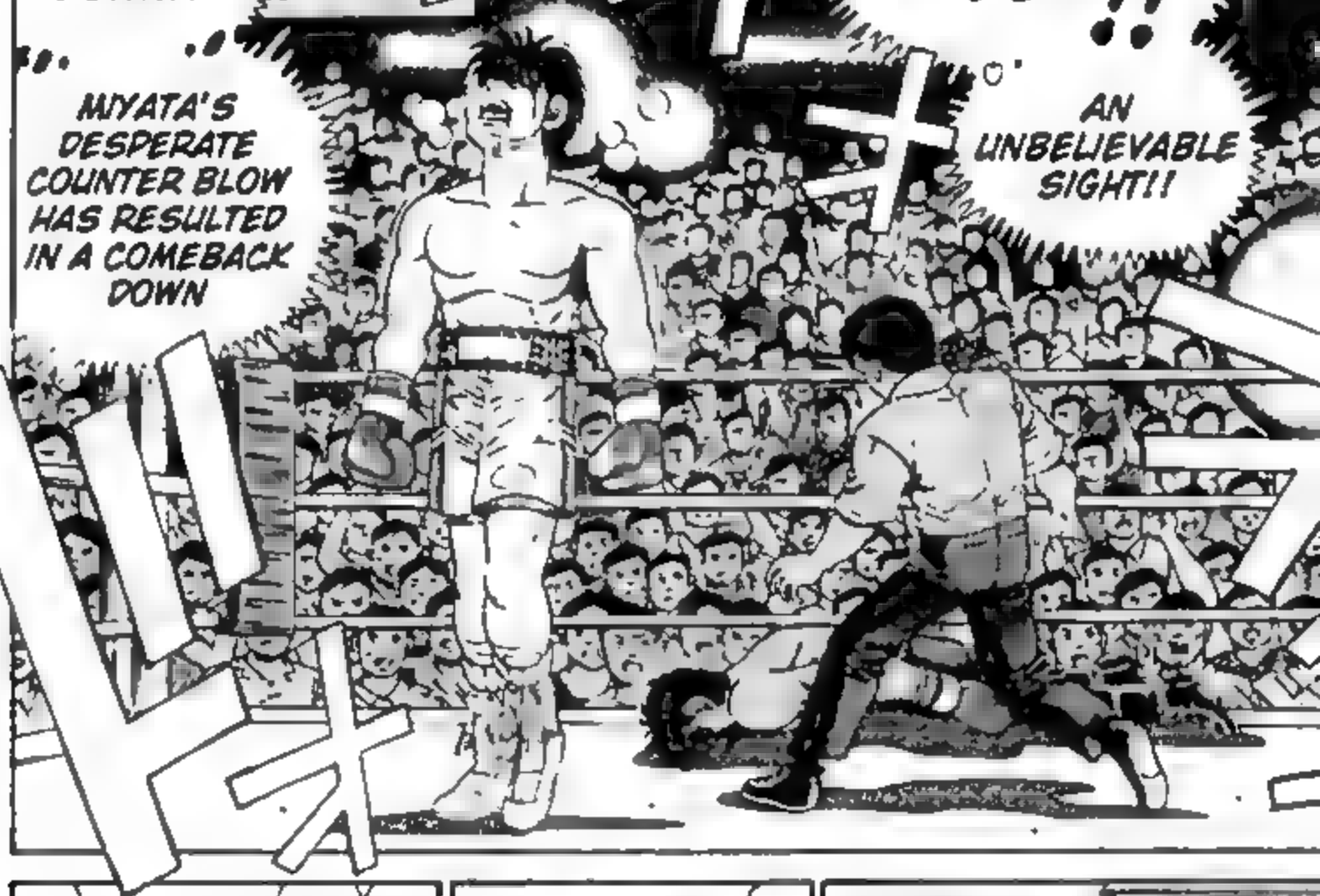


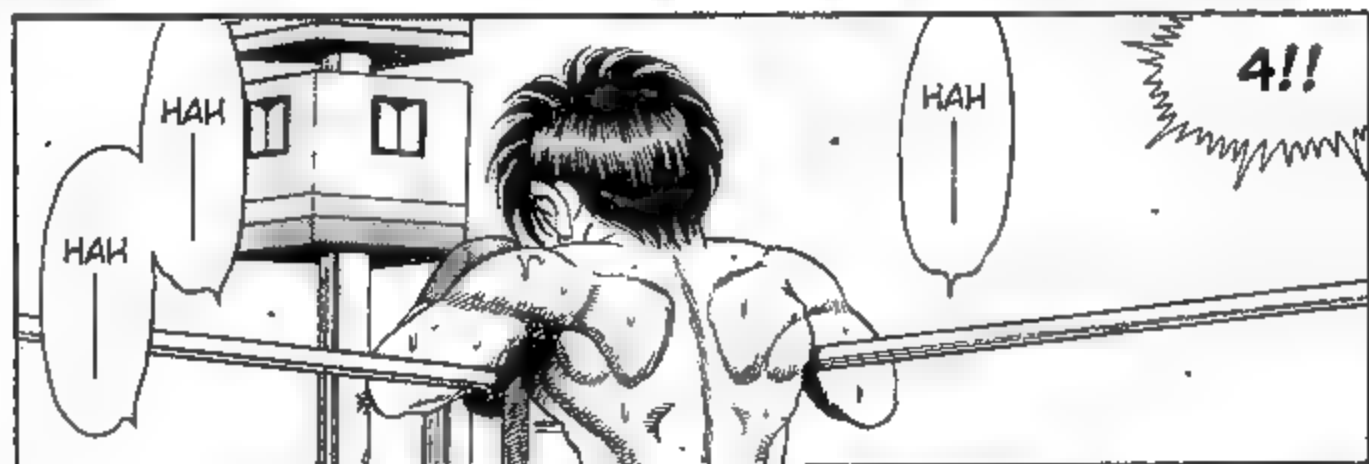
JIMMY
SHISFA IS
DOWN!!

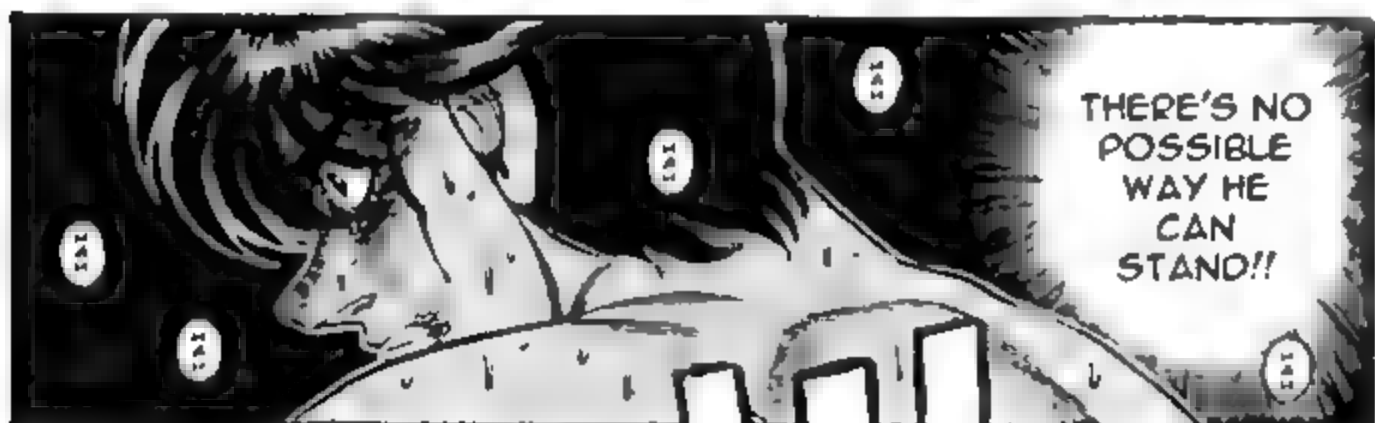
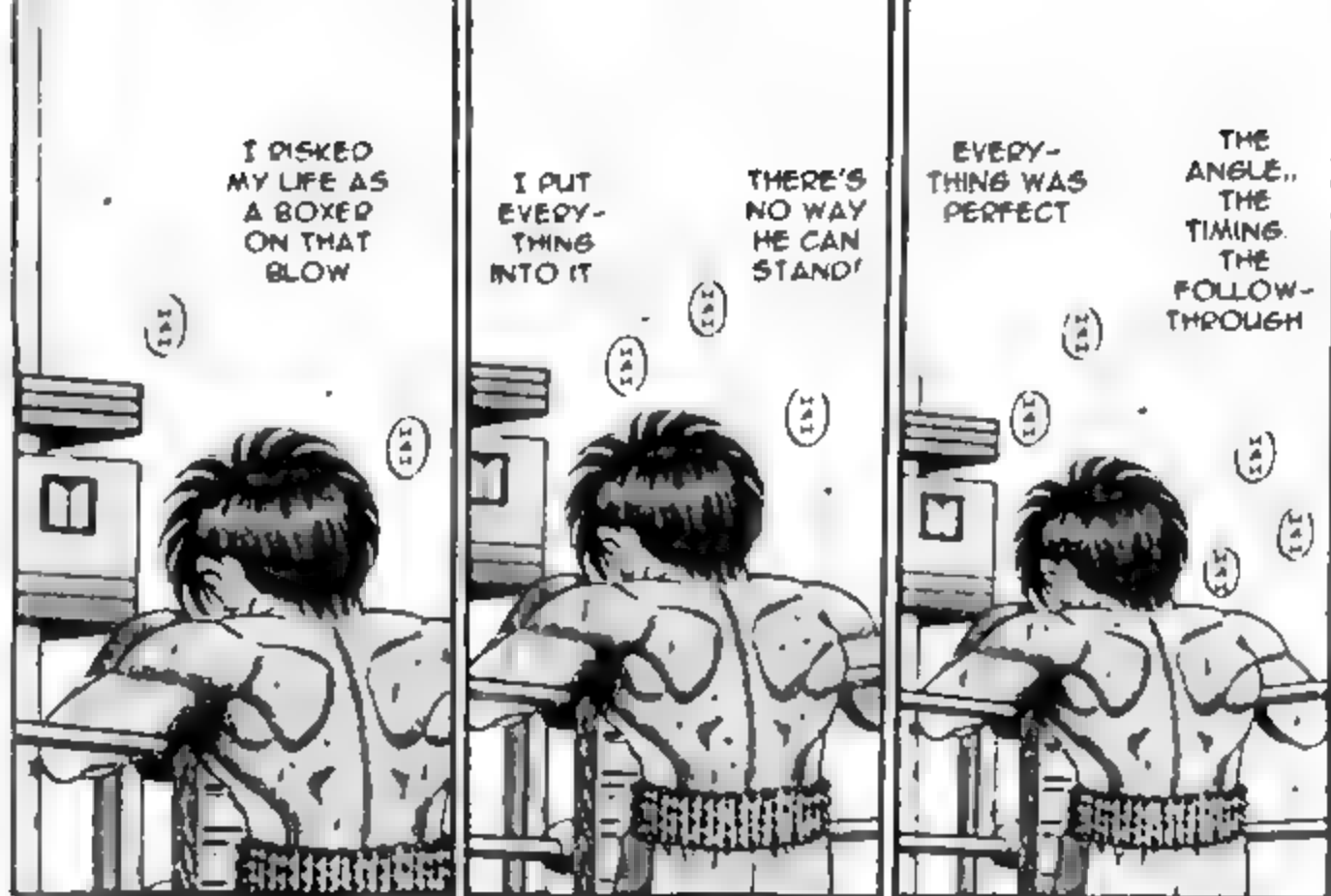
MIYATA'S
DESPERATE
COUNTER BLOW
HAS RESULTED
IN A COMEBACK
DOWN

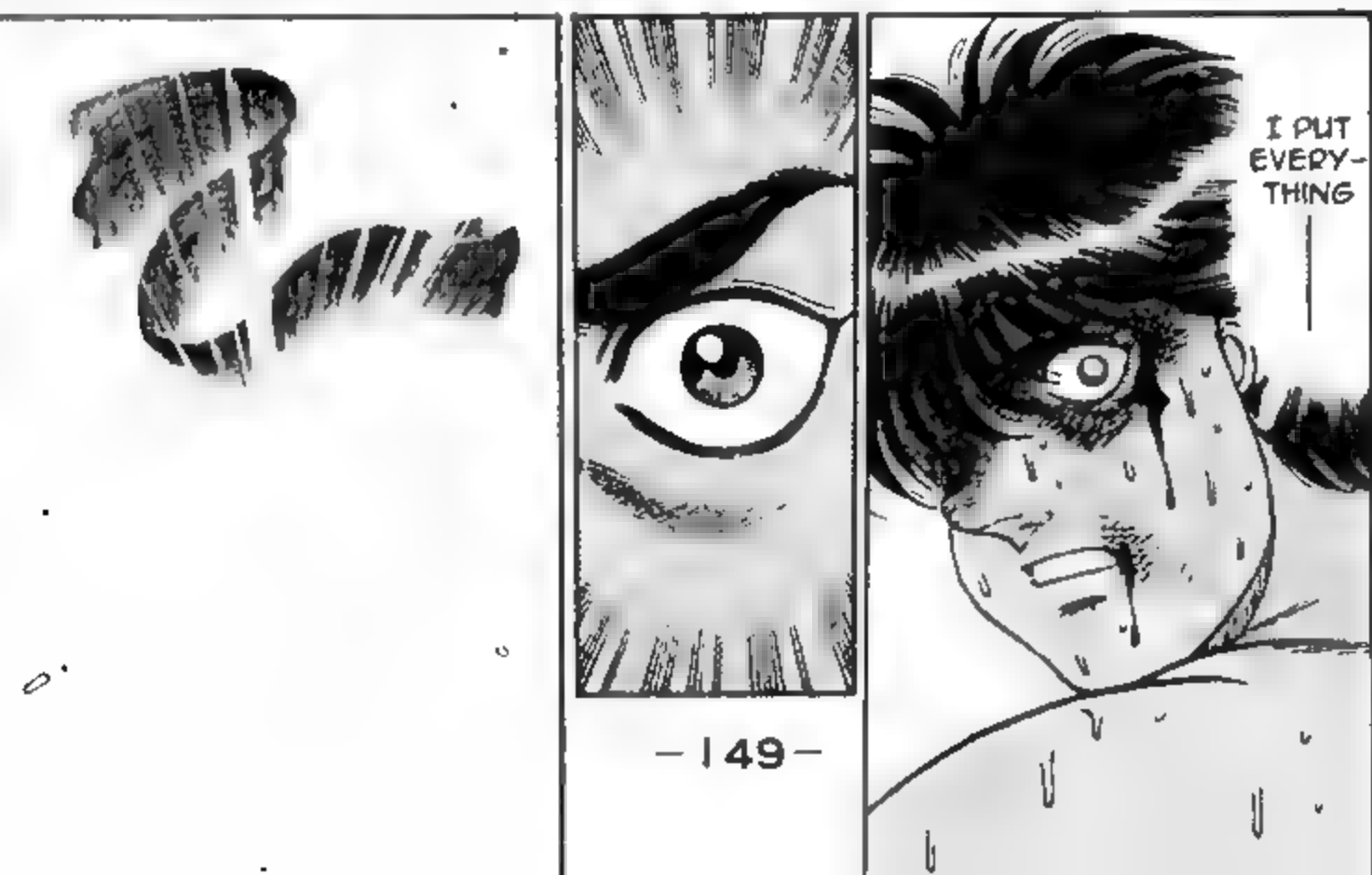
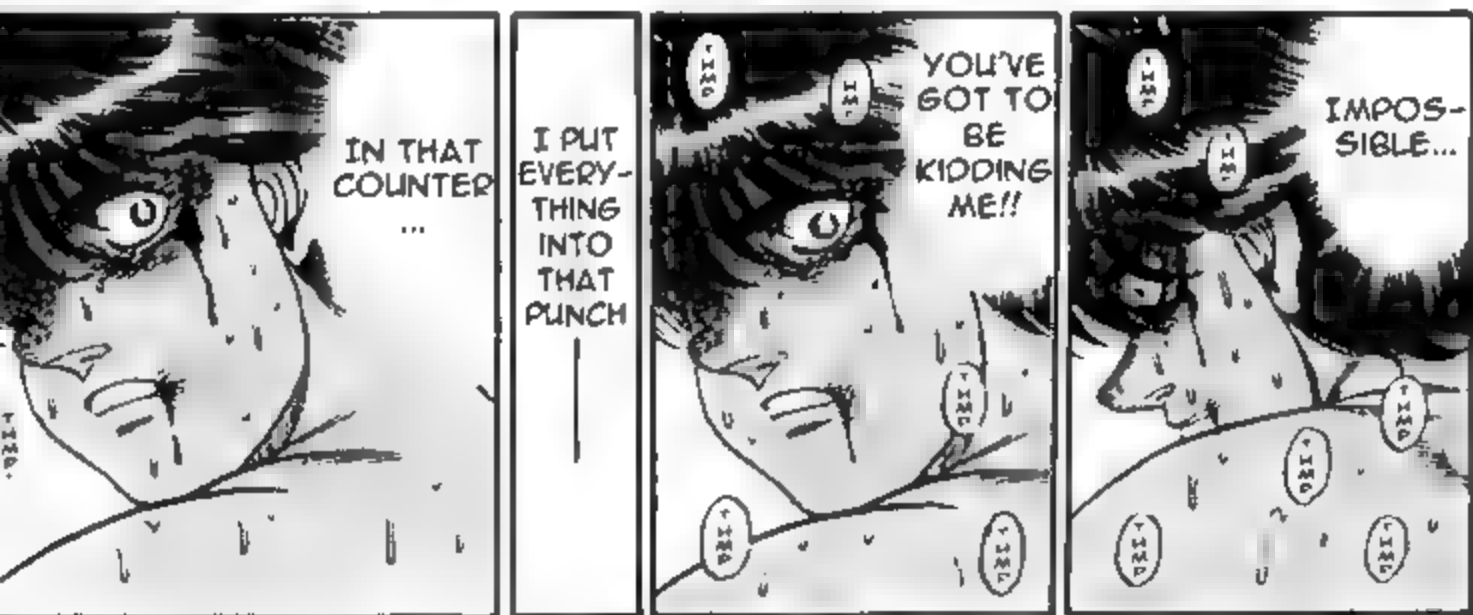
D-DOWN
!!

AN
UNBELIEVABLE
SIGHT!!









THE REFEREE
CROSSES HIS
HANDS ABOVE
HIS HEAD

THE TOWEL—

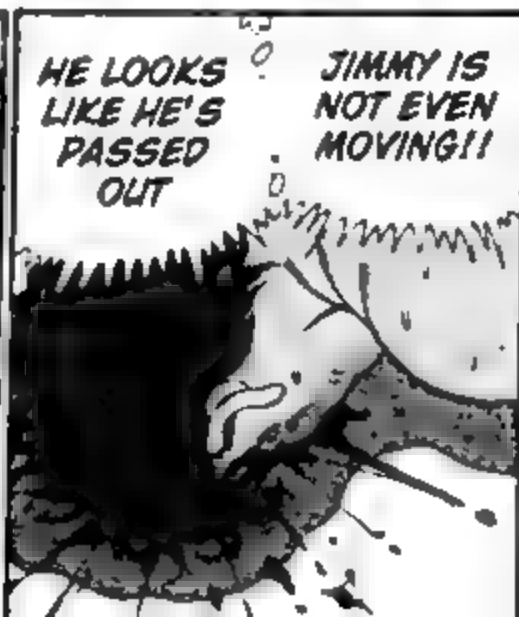
THE RED
CORNER HAS
THROWN IN
THE TOWEL



HE LOOKS
LIKE HE'S
PASSED
OUT

JIMMY IS
NOT EVEN
MOVING!!

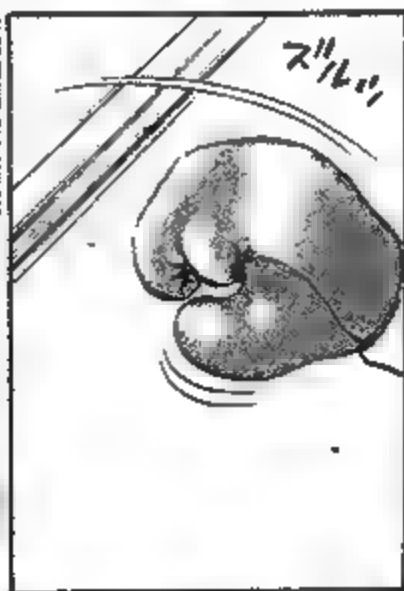
THE FIGHT IS OVER ~~~!!

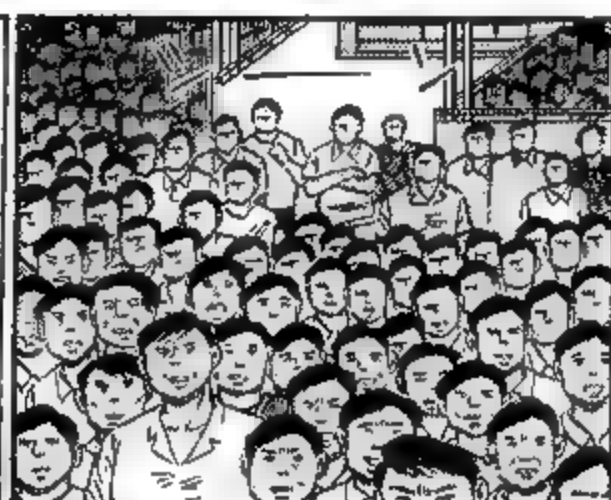


JAPAN'S
MIYATA! AN
AMAZING
COMEBACK
KO VICTORY
!!

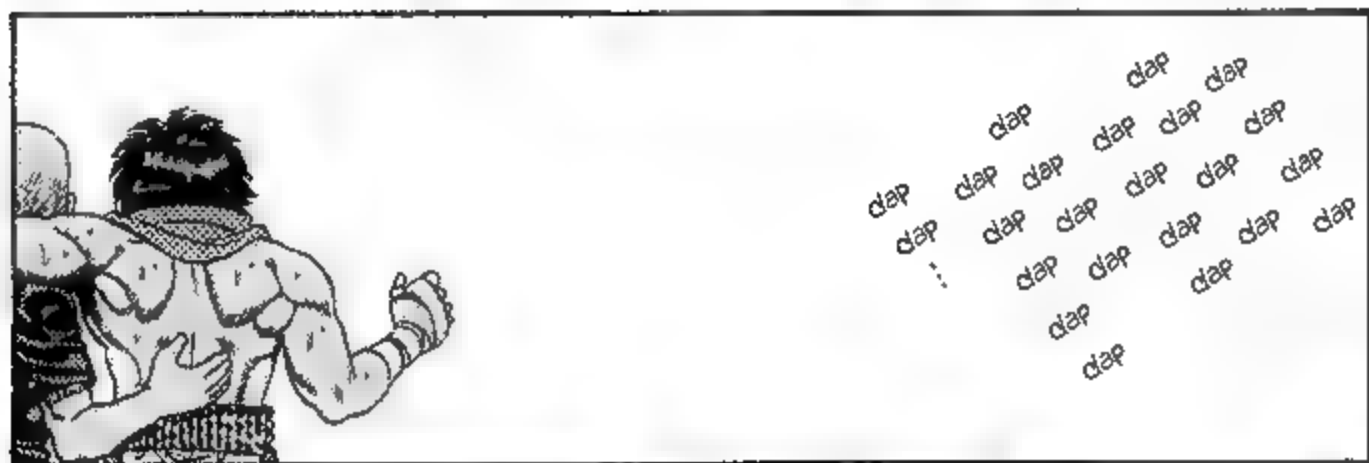
WHAT AN
INCREDIBLE
MIX UP!!

JIMMY SHISFA
HAS BEEN
DEFEATED!!











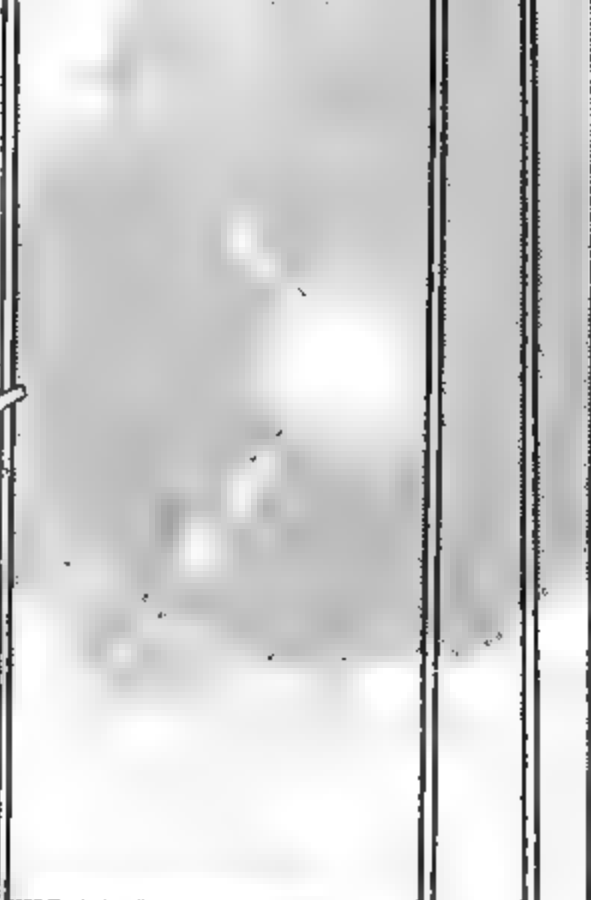
H.... HE
LAUGHED

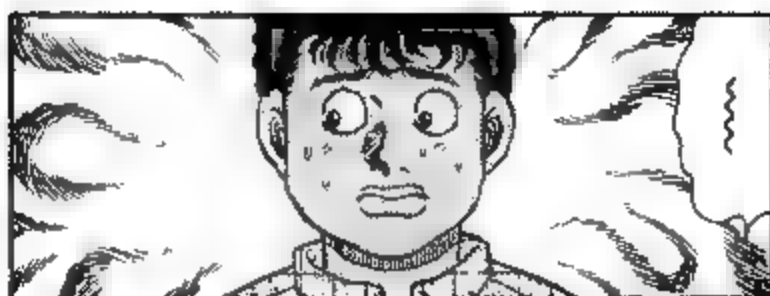
JUST
THEN
...

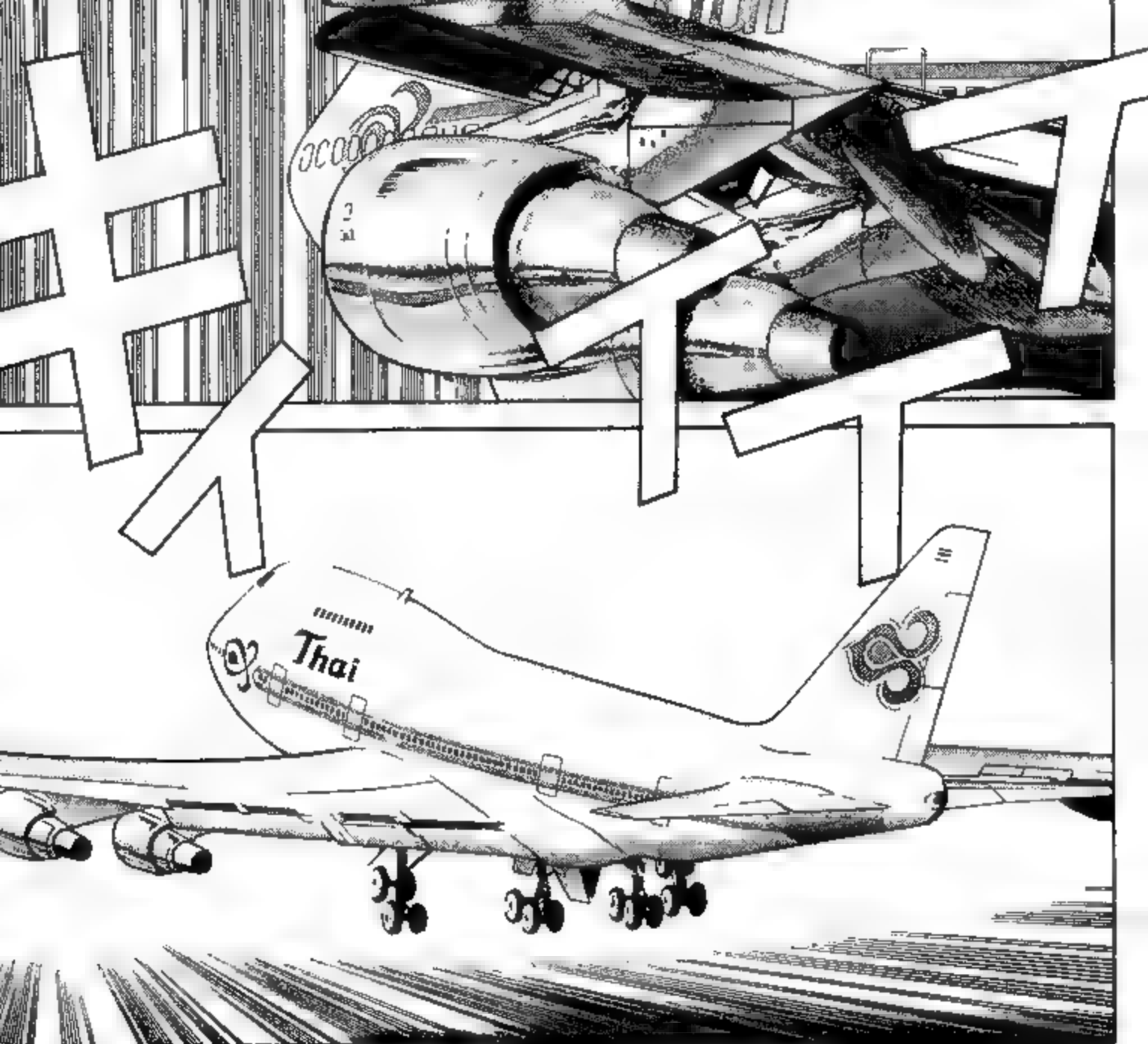


ICHIROU
LAUGHED
...









BUT.... THE
OTHER ONE I
UNDERSTAND

I GUESS
JUST SAYING
IT WON'T HELP
YOU CHANA

TIMING AND
HEART,
HUH...



YEAH

TIMING IS
SOMETHING
YOU END UP
LEARNING WITH
YOUR BODY
ANYWAY



THEY'VE
LEFT...

YEAH

ゴォ

ALRIGHT, LET'S
CONTINUE BY
CHALLENGING
ALL IN THE
ASIAN PACIFIC
LEAGUE

BECAUSE
ICHIROU
SHOWED
ME...

WELL
YES,
BUT...

オォ

オ

THAT WAY,
THE PATH TO
THE WORLD
TITLE WILL
COME
CLOSER!!

NO PROBLEM!
WE'LL JUST
CRUSH ALL
THE STRONG
BOXERS!

2ND RATE
BOXERS
PROBABLY
WON'T
EVEN COME
NEAR US

SINCE
WE'VE
DEFEATED
JIMMY,
FINDING
A MATCH
WILL BE
TOUGH

BY THE
TIME WE
RETURN TO
JAPAN,
THEY'LL
BE IN AN
UPROAR!

JAPAN
HUH
...

THAT'S
EASIER
SAID THAN
DONE

MAN,

WE'RE
GOING TO
KOREA
NEXT

YOU'LL
SEE,
I'LL WIN
AND WIN
AND KEEP
ON
WINNING



WHERE
WILL
HE BE
...

WHO WILL
BE THE
CHAM-
PION...

WHEN I
RETURN
WHAT
RANKING
WILL I BE?

I
WILL
...!!

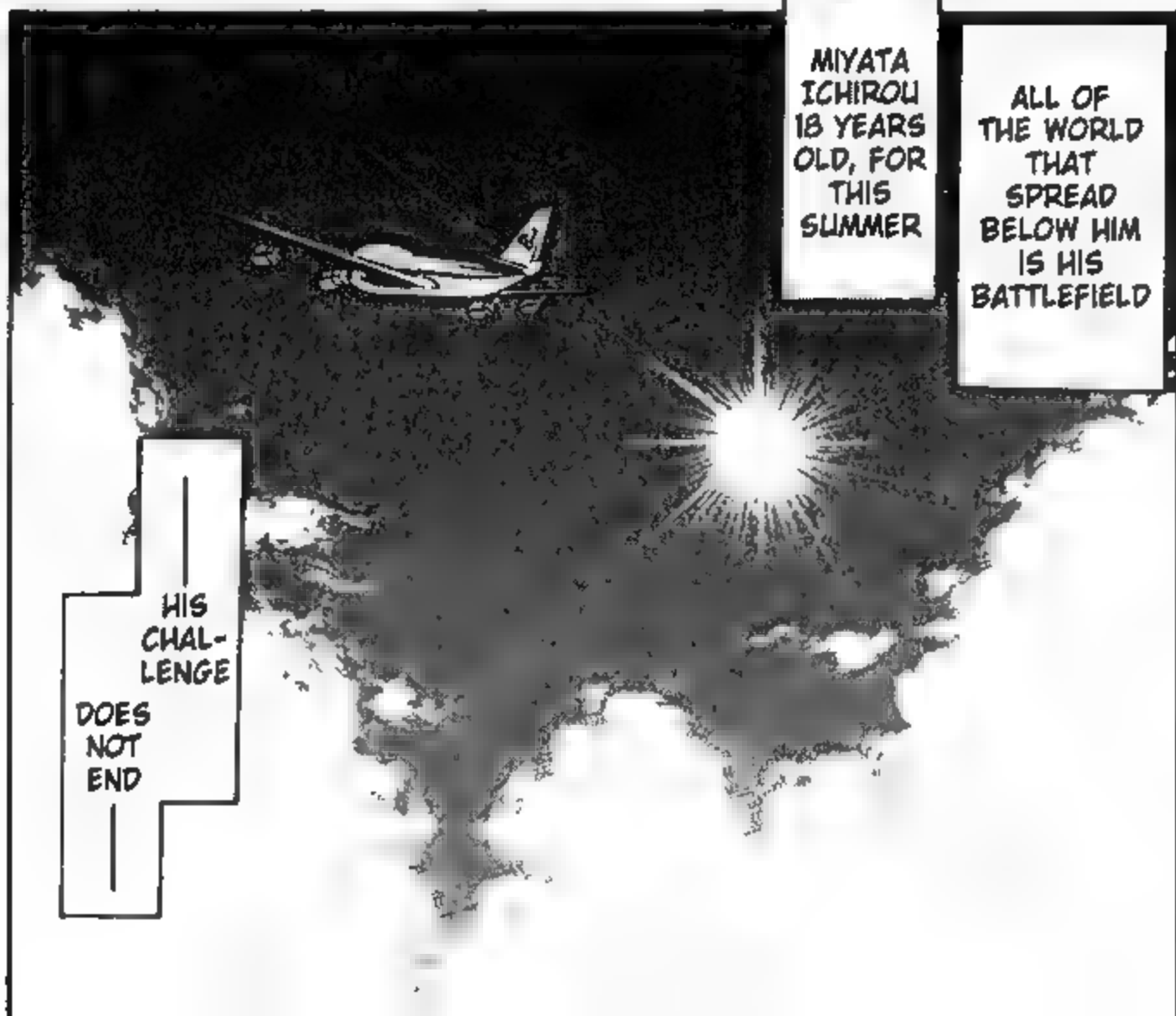


YOU'LL
SEE....
BY THE
TIME I
RETURN
TO
JAPAN

MIYATA
ICHIROU
18 YEARS
OLD, FOR
THIS
SUMMER

ALL OF
THE WORLD
THAT
SPREAD
BELOW HIM
IS HIS
BATTLEFIELD

HIS
CHAL-
LENGE
DOES
NOT
END



はじめての一步



はじめての THE FIGHTING! 大

SO, YOU
SEE WITH
THE NEW
BOXING
BOOM

JULY

THEY WANT
TO CAPTURE
HOW YOUTH'S
PUT THEIR
HOPES INTO
BOXING

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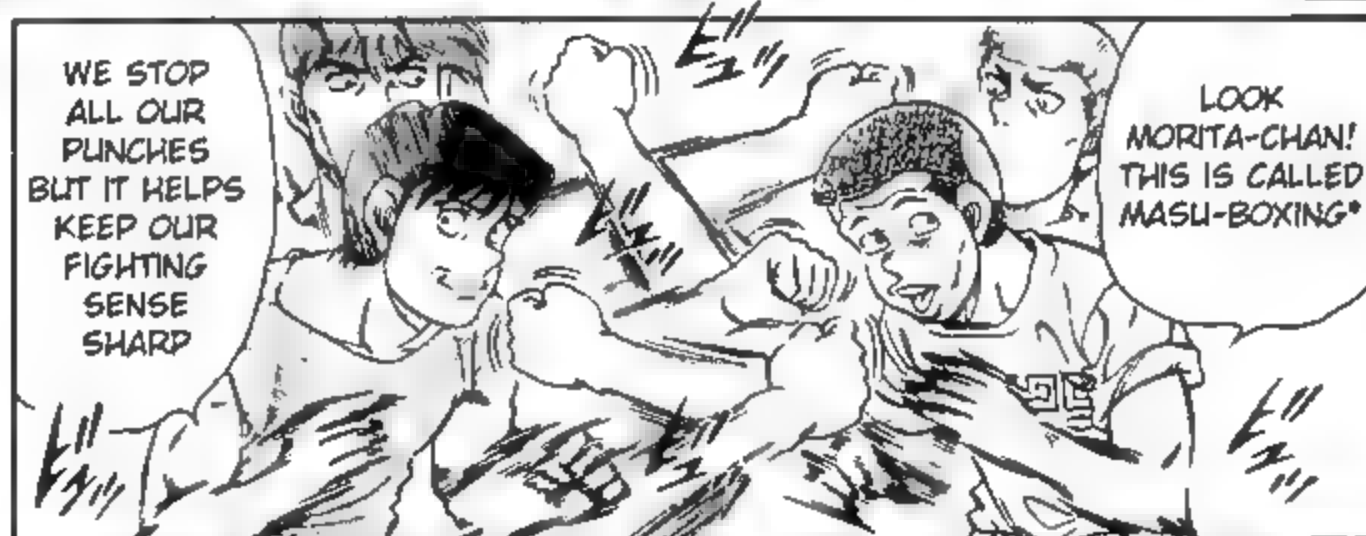
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Round 132 An interview from an Idol









(TRANS NOTE: WHAT IT'S CALLED IN JAPANESE I DON'T KNOW THE TECHNICAL TERM IN ENGLISH)





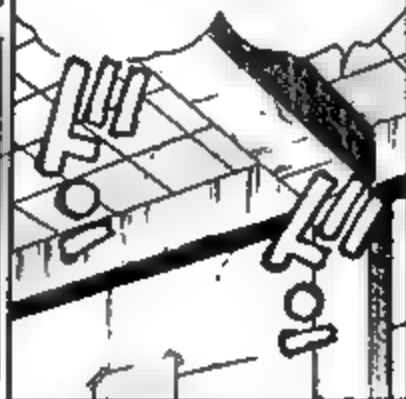
HA
AA
AA
AA

THEIR
BODIES
THEMSELVES
ARE AS FIT
AS CAN BE

KEEP THE
CAMERA
ROLLING.
THEY
AREN'T
RANKED
HIGH FOR
NOTHING



JUST,
DON'T GET
THEIR
FACES



ISN'T
THERE
SOME-
THING
I CAN DO
?

MORITA-
SAN IS
HERE,

I-
I WANT
TO DO
SOME-
THING
TOO.



IT'S AS IF
I CAN FEEL
THE HEAT
OF FIGHT-
ING SPIRIT
EVERY-
WHERE

WOW,
THIS SURE
IS THE
PALACE OF
FIGHTING
MEN!



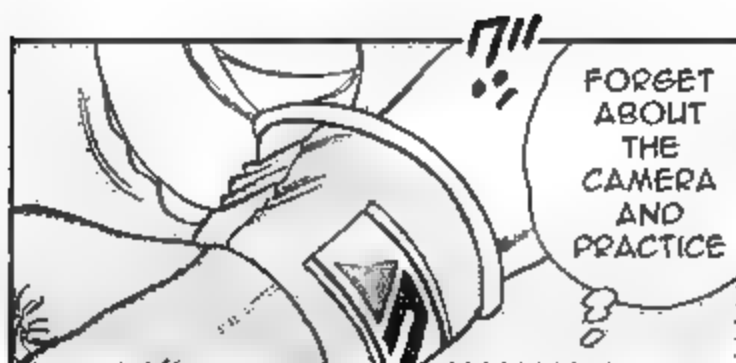
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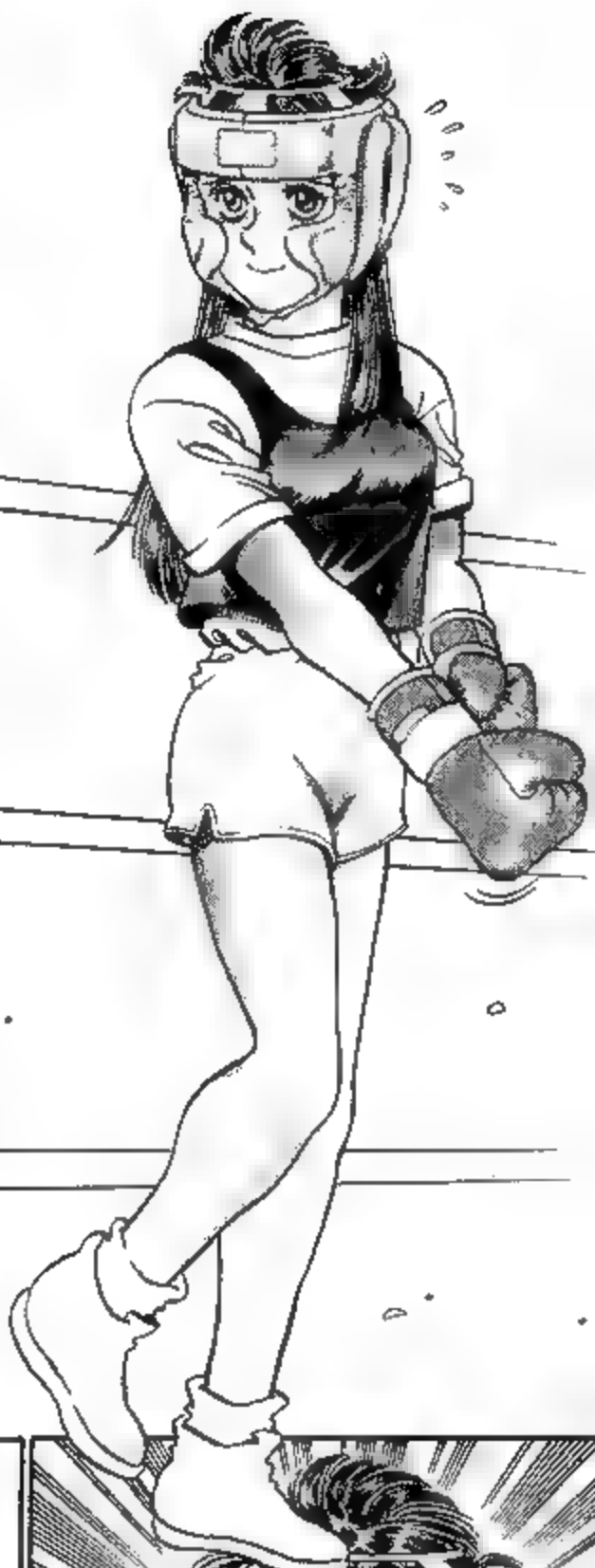
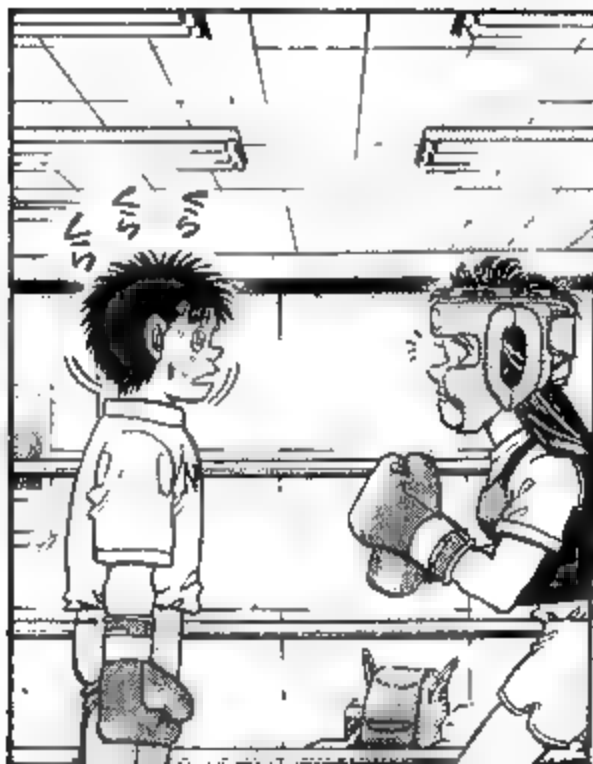
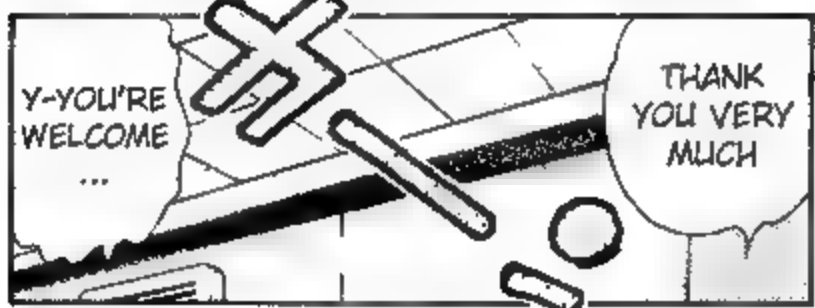
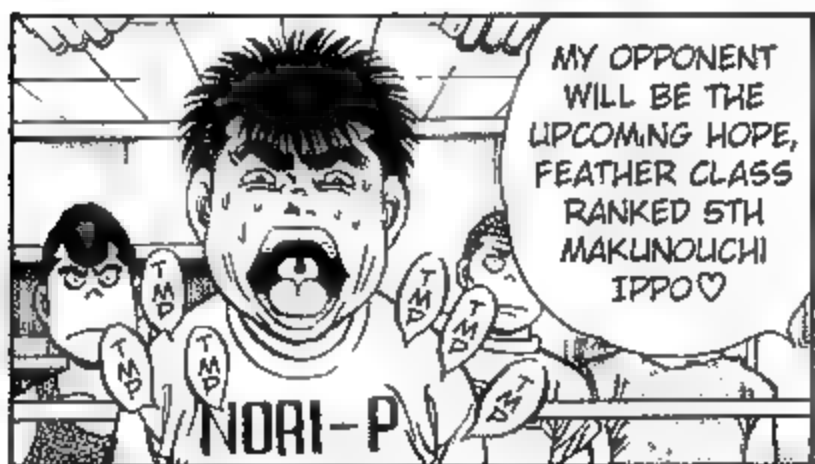


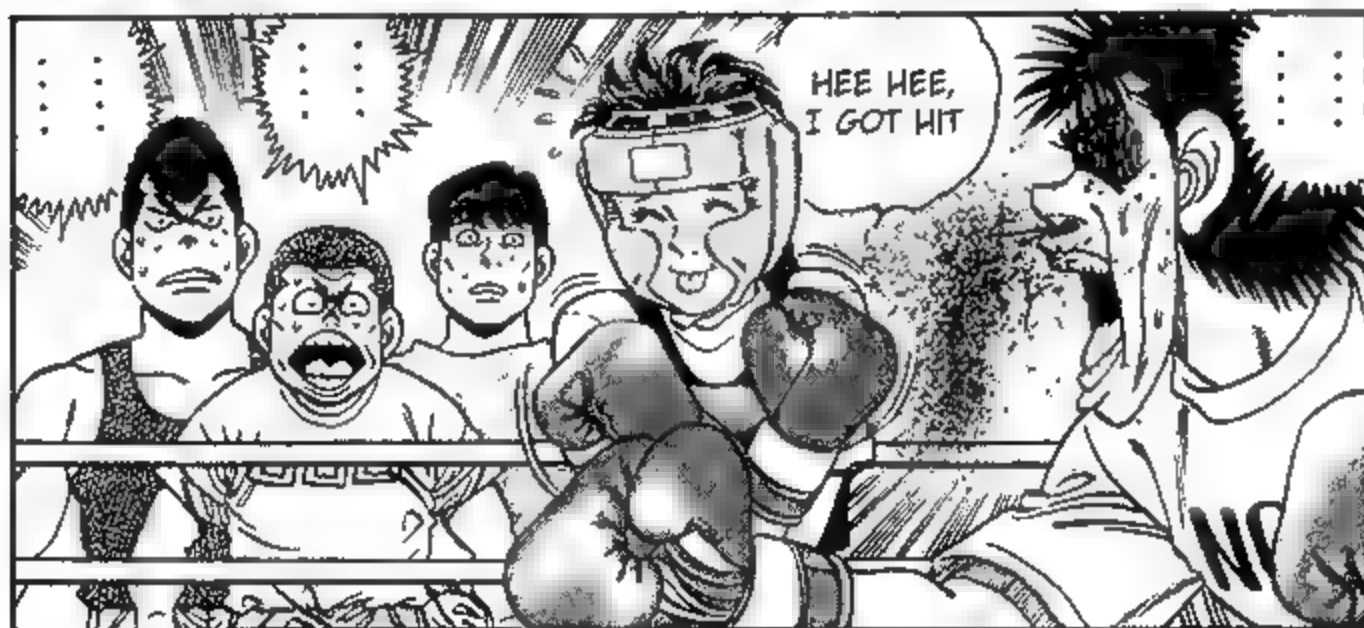
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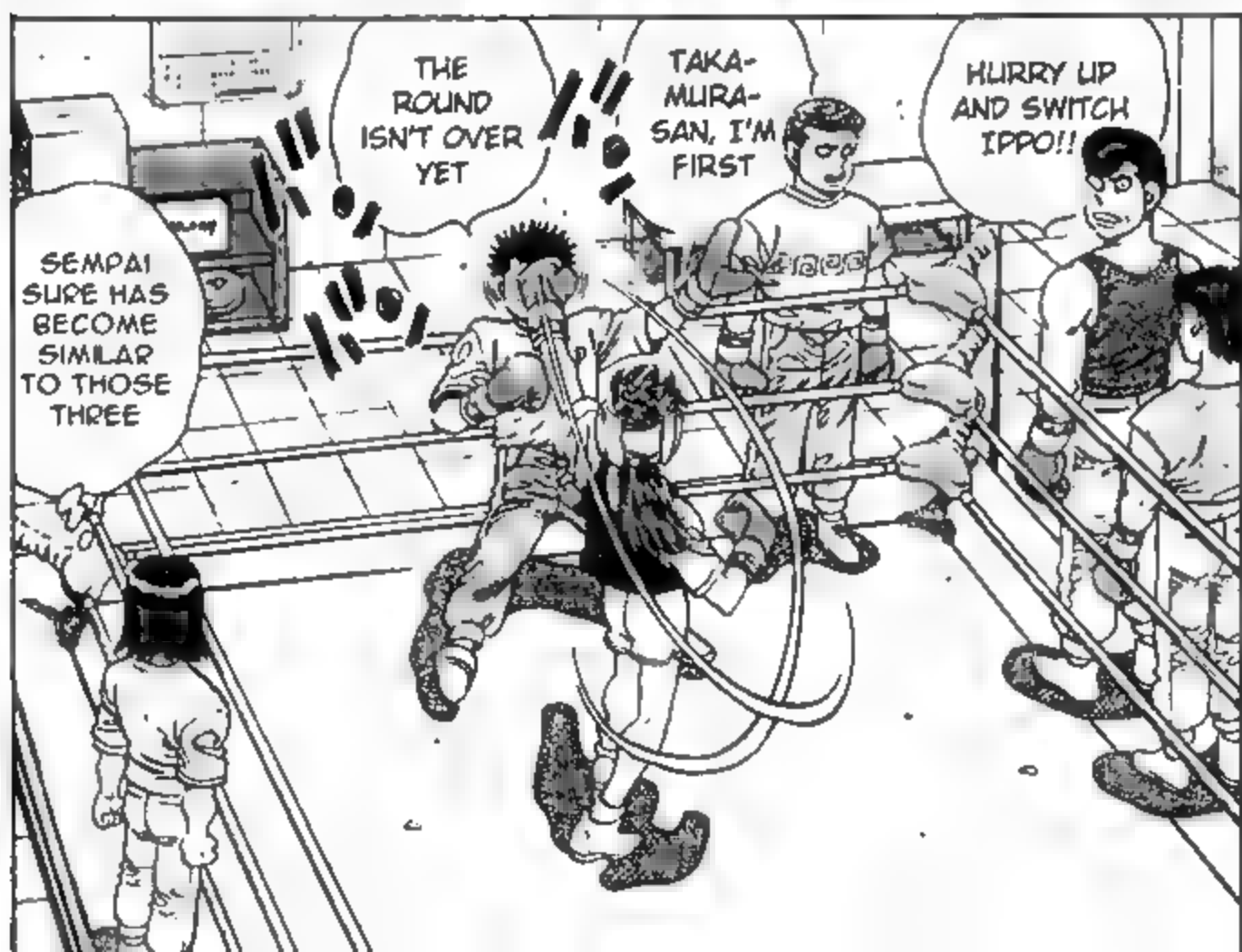
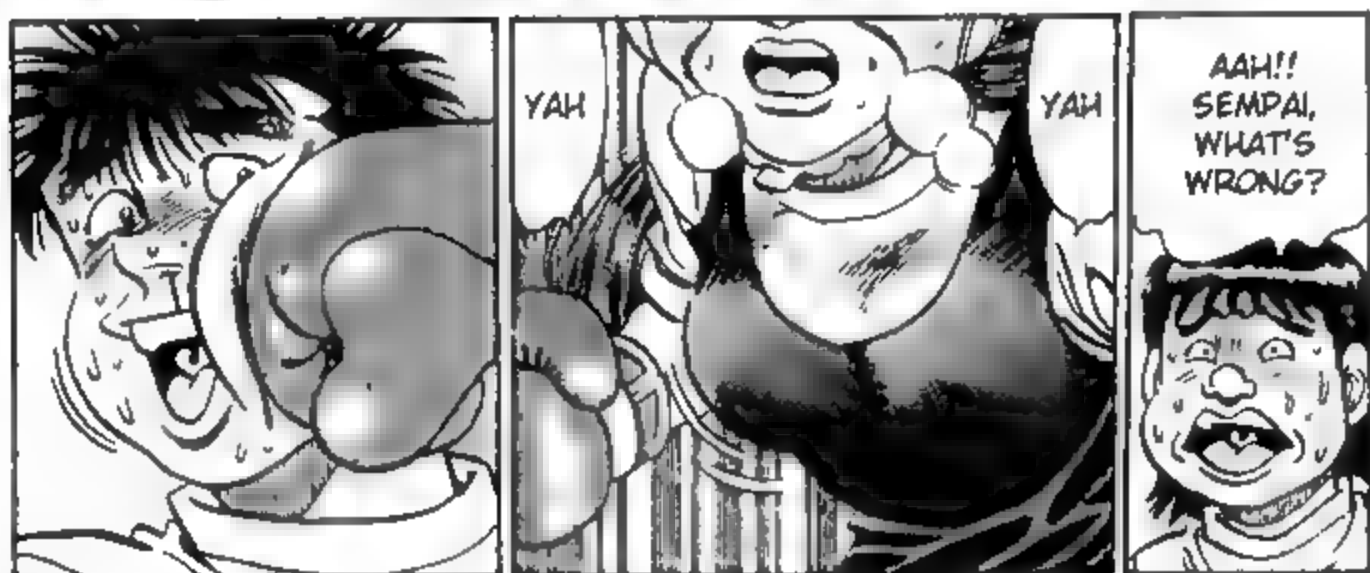
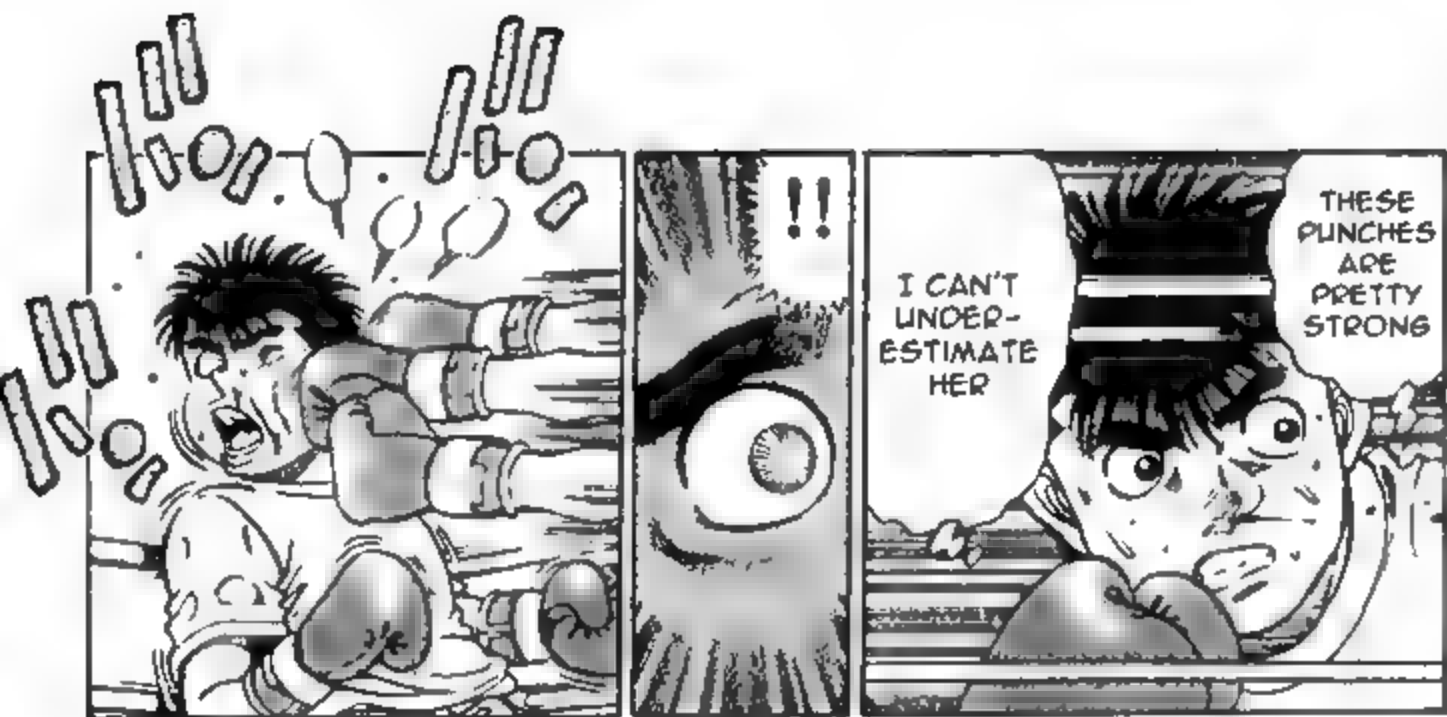
KYAAA
—
AMAZING
♡

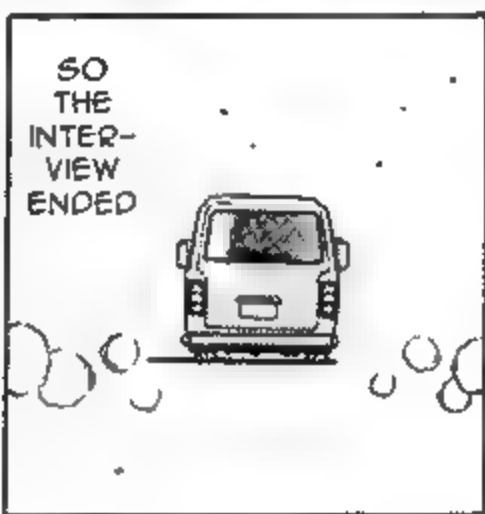
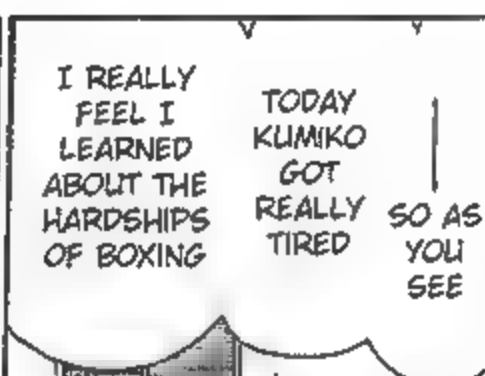




















THERE'S EVEN
A CHANCE
HE MIGHT
REQUEST YOU
FOR HIS NEXT
OPPONENT

AND LOW
AND
BEHOLD
WE HAVE
A CHAL-
LENGE!



I WONDER
HOW THE
OLD MAN'S
GONNA
TAKE THIS



THEY SAY
HE'S SO
STRONG
THAT HE
CAN'T FIND
ANYONE TO
CHALLENGE
HIM



IT WAS
JUST
ABOUT
MY NEXT
GOAL

B-BUT I
DIDN'T
MEAN
ANY-
THING
LIKE
THAT



BUT THE
CHAMPION
PROBABLY
WATCHING
THIS TOO

N-NEXT
OPPONENT!!
THAT'S JUST
TOO SOON



I-I WAS
LACKING IN
FOCUS

I GOT
WRAPPED
UP IN A
SHENANIGAN



I GUESS
THEY
CHECKED
OUT OTHER
PLACES
TOO



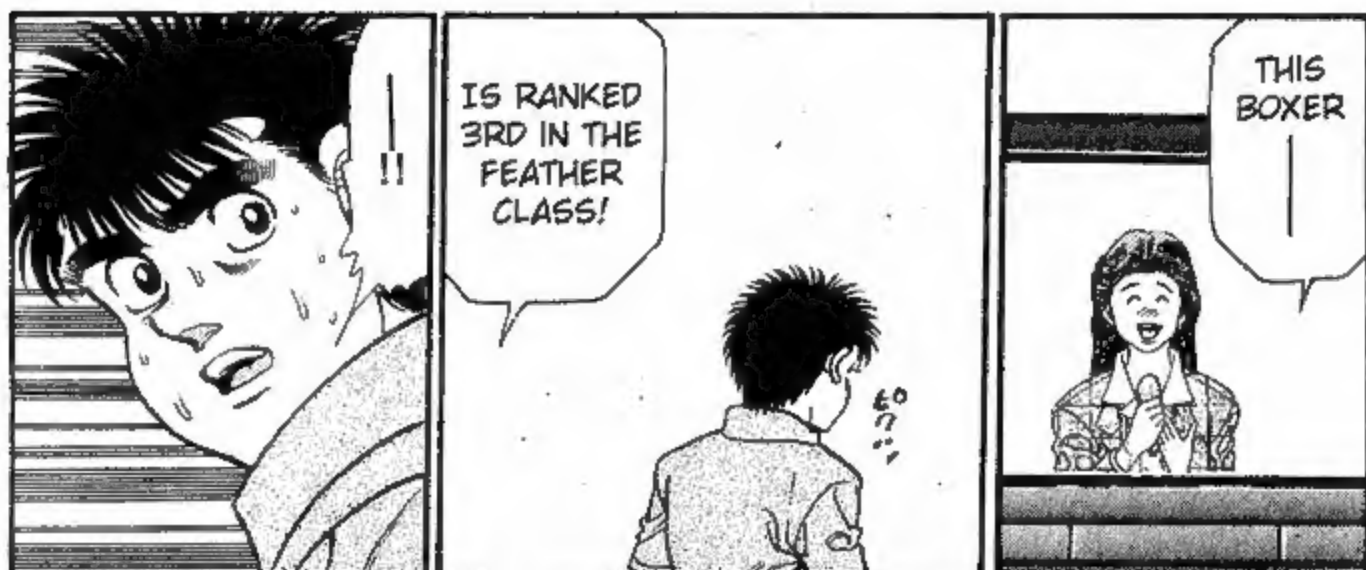
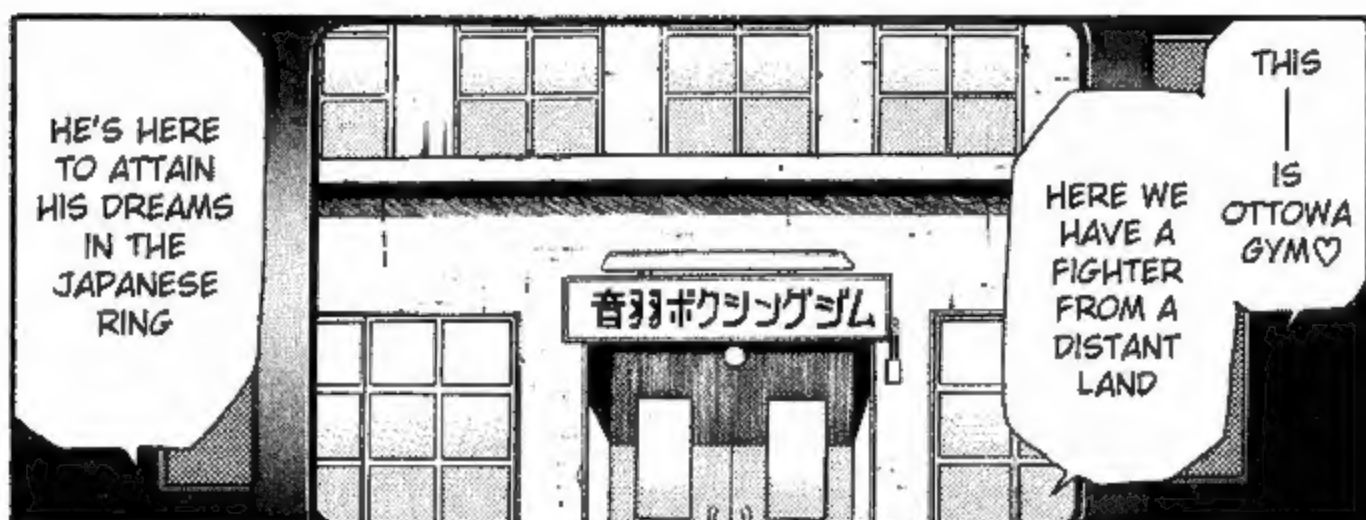
THEY'RE
SHOWING
ANOTHER
GYM

AH

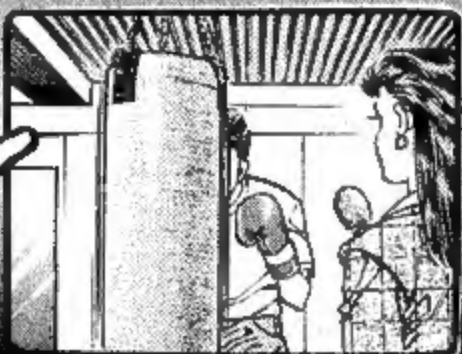


BETTER
GO
PRAC-
TICE

SUD-
DENLY
I'M
UNCER-
TAIN



I BELIEVE
THAT THE
LEVEL BOXING
IS GREAT
ENOUGH TO
WORK IN THE
PROFES-
SIONAL RING



IN THE SOVIET,
WE HAVE
CONQUERED IN
THE AMATEUR
LEAGUE AT
EVERY SINGLE
WEIGHT CLASS

MY DESTINY IS
TO BECOME
A WORLD
CHAMPION OF
PRO BOXING



ON THE PRIDE
OF MY FALLEN
COUNTRY,
I HAVE COME
TO JAPAN

THERE-
FORE MY
GOAL

I WILL
USE THE
JAPANESE
TITLE AS
MY FIRST
STEP



DATE
EIJI'S
BELT!

IS TO
TAKE



IT LOOKS
LIKE
ANOTHER
CHALLENGER
HAS
APPEARED
AS WELL

A
RUS-
SIAN!

AMATEUR I-ISN'T
WORLD HE LAST
CHAMPION YEARS'

